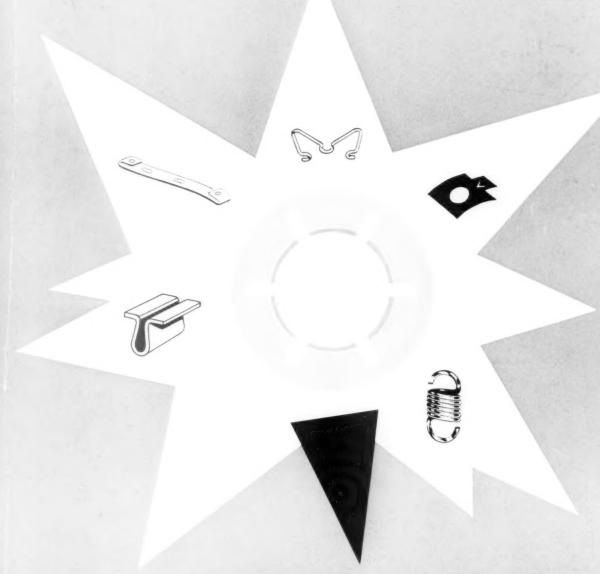
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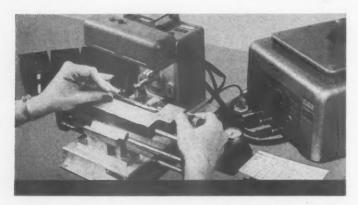
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Eaton Manufacturing Co.
Cleveland, Ohio

Would you please send us a reprint of "Torque Considerations in Design" . . .

W. T. Hunt, Manager Laboratory and Services Chrysler Corporation Detroit, Michigan

Please send us a reprint of the article "Torque Considerations in Design".

Norman E. Geiger Engineering Stds, Dept. The Falk Corporation Milwaukee, Wisconson

Touch-and-Close Fasteners

Please refer to your March issue, page 86, where you show a picture of an application of detachable upholstery utilizing Velcro nylon "touch-and-close" fasteners. We would appreciate your advising us where we might contact the manufacturer of these fasteners.

R. G. Denny Purchasing Department Durham Manufacturing Co. Muncie, Indiana

High Strength Bolting

We would appreciate your forwarding ten reprints of the article, "High Strength Structural Bolting", which appeared in your April issue.

H. Silverman Chief Draftsman John Dollinger Jr., Inc. Beaumont, Texas

Managerial Rigor Mortis

We have reviewed your November editorial "Beware of Managerial Rigor Mortis" and believe the material contained would contribute to our training program.

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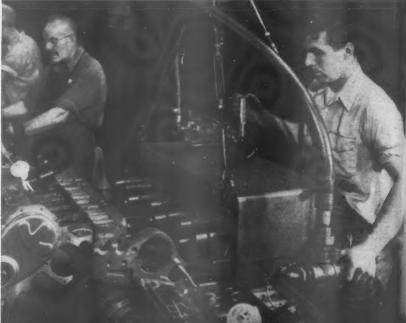
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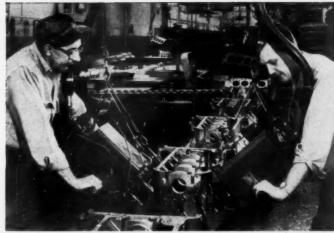
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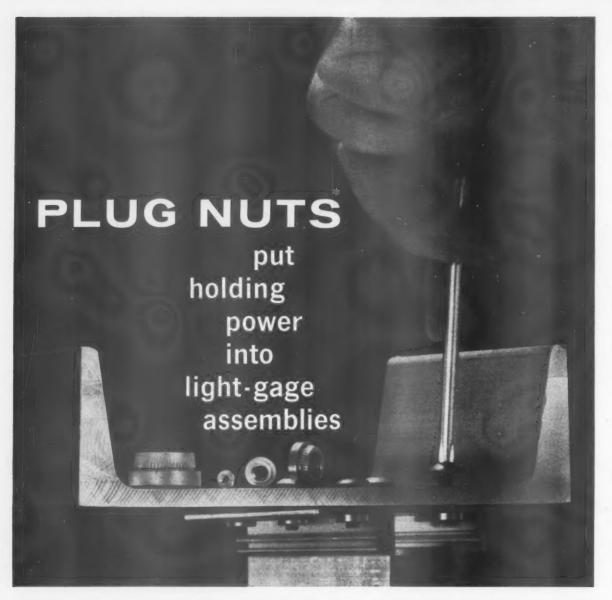
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TAKE THAT TRIP, GET A NEW PERSPECTIVE



ne blustery day in March we attended the first technical conference sponsored by the American Home Laundry Manufacturers Association. Though only a one-day affair, several hundred design, engineering and research men traveled to Chicago for the event. Several came from as far as Los Angeles.

"They descended upon us like a bolt out of the blue," reported one harried but happy Association official.

Nothing like the final attendance was expected. The meeting room was much too small for comfortable seating, but they crowded in anyway.

And they were there for the first morning paper which presented some new dimensions in the concept of a quality product, and stayed through the final afternoon talk concerned with designing for tomorrow's needs.

Now, coming up in late May is the Design Engineering Show which has become one of the giant trade shows in just a few years. Some 20,000 engineers from all over the country will travel to New York City for this

What benefits can be gained from attending these and the many other meetings and shows held each year? What makes engineers travel to more and more such affairs? The habitue of conventions will cite the opportunities that exist for seeing and hearing about many interesting developments in a short span of

It's true that seeing many new products first hand stirs the imagination. The designer comes back with his brain teeming with new ideas. The engineer carries home in his pockets a collection of intriguing fasteners and new materials. The production man brings back a briefcase crammed with notes on new assembly techniques. Everyone benefits, even the company auditor who finds new conversation pieces in the expense accounts.

But most important is the new perspective that you can get just by being away from everyday activities. Traveling to and from another city gives new breadth to your living; meeting new people with different interests broadens your outlook on all fronts. Your imagination not only stirs, but soars to great heights.

This drastic change in your mode of living shatters routines which tend to become stale and unproductive. You come back with a fresh approach to your work. And much worthwhile is accomplished before routine catches you. Then it's time to travel again.

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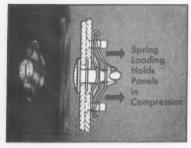
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Quick-Opening Fasteners

Selecting Small Fastenings for Metal Closures

"Use captive fasteners wherever feasible . . . Avoid the use of loose washers and loose nuts . . . Fasteners on equipment covers should be operable either with no tools or with standard hand tools"*

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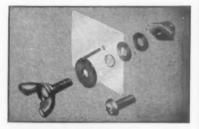


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The State of Business



IS FOREIGN STEEL HERE TO STAY?

By Robert M. Buddington Inland Steel Company

From my office with its view of Lake Michigan I shared in the thrill of viewing the flotilla that came to Chicago last June as part of the celebration to honor the Queen and Prince and to mark the Chicago opening of the St. Lawrence Seaway.

The Seaway, through which steel imports in Chicago increased from 48,000 tons in 1958 to 256,000 in 1959, dramatically points out the changing position of the U.S. in world trade. A new water route into the heart of America opens at the very time that our trade position is at a crucial junction.

Foreign steel producers, especially those of the revitalized Japanese and European steel industries, are competing more aggressively for all export markets. A graphic indication of this competition is our own steadily declining share of world steel production, from 54% in 1946, to 35% in 1957 to 29% in 1958 and 1959.

Total steel mill product imports during 1959 were 4.4 million tons valued at \$15 million, an all-time high. At first this volume may not appear

do not convey the real impact of foreign competition, for it is at the level of the specific products, and against specific American steel producers, that this competition is most telling: producers of reinforcing bars, pipe and tubing, structurals and wire products. Coastal port areas like Galveston and Los Angeles are hardest hit.

as a serious penetration of American markets. But note the trend on the graph. Moreover, statistics

Robert M. Buddington Vice President—Sales Inland Steel Company Joining Inland as a trainee in

Joining Inland as a trainee in 1939, Buddington was named general sales manager in 1955 and vice president in 1959. He was a naval pilot for four years during World War II.

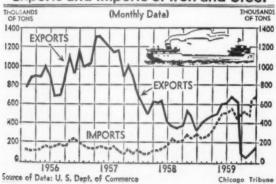


Declining steel exports are an equally important story. Exports in 1959 were the lowest since 1936. Part of this, of course, was due to the steel strike, but mostly to losses in sales. For the first time since 1903 the U.S. had an unfavorable balance of steel trade as imports exceeded exports by almost three million tons.

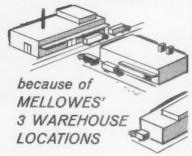
What are the prospects for future steel competition? There is no question that last year's import totals were boosted artificially by the steel strike. And the quick recovery to near-capacity production left many steel importers with large forward commitments which they were unable to sell at profit. Those losses are now making brokers cautious about taking on new orders for foreign steel. But this is just a readjustment phase and I am forced to conclude that foreign steel will be a permanent factor in our steel using markets.

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What do we do? I agree with most that higher trade barriers is not the answer. We too are dependent on other nations for some of our raw materials, such as iron ore, tin, zinc. The economic health of the free world depends on equal and free access to trade.

Our government should continue to urge the removal of discriminatory restrictions against U. S. exports. At the same time, economically strong nations should be urged to shoulder their share of aid to under-developed countries.

We can start helping ourselves by developing a greater awareness of foreign trade. We do not know much about this complex subject—their production costs, not just labor costs—and what specific products they have a greater or lesser capacity to produce.

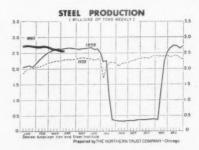
There has been a steady increase in American overseas capital investment. U. S. companies have built or purchased foreign manufacturing subsidiaries, or entered into joint venture or licensing agreements, in the belief that such devices are the only means of maintaining foreign sales.

The new European Common Market and the so-called Outer Seven are new factors making Western Europe an attractive location for such investment. American exports into any one Common Market nation now face trade barriers which competitive products from the other five member nations no longer face. Maybe this is an area steel companies should investigate more thoroughly.

We must continue to accelerate research and development towards improved and specialized steels.

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Industry Briefs

Capital Airlines is hollering uncle in the face of air-scare and bad weather losses: requests a \$12.9 million Government subsidy covering the last year. All 12 longhaul airlines have been off dole since 1951 . . . Gas appliance manufacturers confess that first quarter sales were disappointing (down 5% from 1959) . . . Experts still hope that consumer prices will increase in 1960 at no greater pace than in 1959, which was 1.5% . . . Americans own 52% of Canada's economic resources, according to a survey by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. Up 6% since 1954 . . . Appropriation bills for four Federal departments will add 27,803 new employees to Government payrolls this year . . . Senate talkaton on civil rights cost taxpayers \$22,000 an hour, the estimate of keeping the Senate in session . . . To strike or not? With their own wage talks deadlocked and refusing to agree to binding arbitration, 500,000 nonoperating rail workers may wait to see what arbitrators offer the engineers before walking out; 36,700 engineers ask 34 cents; management-hoping to split the difference-wants a 15 cent per hour pay cut . . . Congressional Democrats will soon propose a farm program based on marketing controls. Output would be limited (eliminating marginal producers) and surpluses would be wiped out in 10 years. Prices would rise. Republicans object: "Any time this country adopts a program of scarcity, the consumer will be the loser."





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Progress Edition

NEW HOPPER FEEDER QUADRUPLES SET SCREW INSERTION RATES

Labor costs cut by 75% Exclusive orienting mechanism



Changeover from manual to automatic insertion of set screws is now easier and more profitable than ever. More profitable because this new, compact, Setko Hopper Feeder requires less space — and embodies advancements and refinements in design to make for greater operating efficiencies. It is now possible to actually quadruple insertion rates over the hand method, while cutting labor costs by 75%.

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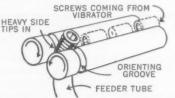
Exclusive orienting mechanism assures perfect positioning of screw every time

It's really a matter of balance... Every type of set screw has a point of balance. Because of the manufacturing methods used it is almost never exact center. This means that from the center of the screw, one end is a little heavier. The object is to get the heavier end to tip consistently

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into the feeder tube. Setko accomplishes this by feeding the screws from the vibrator to the orienting mechanism where it is literally wafted on a cushion of friction between two opposingly driven rollers.



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Industry at Work



A BOLT AND INSERT AID DOUGLAS IN FORMING LINER FOR MACH 6 WIND TUNNEL

Fantastic speeds—essential to the testing of materials and designs of missiles and space craft—soon will be generated in industry's first major hypersonic wind tunnel.

To simulate rocket-powered flight, Douglas Aircraft Co., Inc. soon will blast air through a trio of jet nozzles into a testing chamber, at speeds ranging from 4500 miles per hour (Mach 6) to 7600 miles per hour (Mach 10). The first of three precisely shaped nickel shells, used as high-strength, heat-resistant liners to protect nozzles projecting the tremendous air blast, has been formed successfully by Douglas.

Manufacture of the highly critical part was achieved by an unusual method requiring a massive aluminum hand forging—believed to be the world's largest—produced by Aluminum Company of America. The 8230-pound forging served as a core, or mandrel, for a coating of nickel that ultimately became the largest nickel liner ever made.

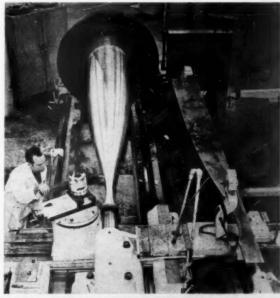
The aluminum part was forged at Alcoa's Cleveland works from an ingot, in alloy 2014, measuring 36-1/2" in diameter and 78" in length. An 8000-ton hydraulic forging press was used to squeeze the ingot between flat dies. Ingot diameter shrank, and length nearly doubled, as a shape approaching the required bottle-like form was achieved. Hillcrest Crankshaft and Machine Corp., Titusville (Pa.), rough-machined the giant piece. The forging then was heat treated and artificially aged by Alcoa, to attain the best combination of physical properties.

Douglas finish-machined the 12-foot-long aluminum mandrel at its El Segundo, Calif., plant. Critical dimension was the diameter, which tapers from 24" at one end to 3" at the other. Tolerance was .001", and had to be met at 1440 measuring stations along the mandrel's length.

A cut was made that severed the small end of the mandrel. It was rejoined by running a bolt through the smaller section, and threading it tightly into an insert placed in the larger part.



A giant forging is being worked between flat dies on an 8000-ton hydraulic press.



Douglas Aircraft's aluminum lining for a Mach 6 air tunnel tapers from 24" diameter to 3".



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Industry at Work, continued

At Bone Engineering Corp., Glendale (Calif.), a special tank was installed for the electroforming operation which deposited nickel on the mandrel surface to a depth greater than %".

The mandrel-liner assembly then was exposed to sub-zero temperatures. Since aluminum shrinks

more than nickel at the same low temperature, the mandrel separated from the nickel coating.

The bolt then was removed and the two mandrel sections were withdrawn, leaving the perfectlyformed liner ready for installation in Douglas' Mach 6 wind tunnel nozzle.

SPACER SPRINGS AID ALUMINUM SHEET HEAT TREAT PROCESS

Spacer springs of die steel that minimize distortion in thin-gauge aluminum sheets during heat treating have been developed by



Clayton Ruud and Don Heinrich, manufacturing research engineers of the Boeing Aero-Space Division.

The springs are made of H-11 die steel and retain their tension through hundreds of heat treat cycles.

Inserted at both top and bottom of coiled thin-gauge aluminum sheets, the springs are first stretched to facilitate coil placement. Tension is then released to fix coil firmly for heat treat processing to the strength and durability required for high-performance aircraft.

In several months of production, the springs have been found easy to apply and economical to use. The springs hold coiled aluminum sheets firmly in position when the sheets are placed on heat treat furnace racks. Space provided by the springs between the coils insures uniform heat distribution and quench-water circulation. The technique has resulted in improved quality and

reliability, with fewer rejections.

Best spring size for handling the aluminum sheets was found to be 8" and 1" outside diameter of .063 steel wire.

Use of spacer springs in this way has helped solve a thin-gauge aluminum sheet heat treat problem which has been troublesome in aircraft manufacturing. By restraining the coiled sheets during heat treating and, at the same time, preventing metal-to-metal contact, the spacer springs have helped to prevent warpage, weak spots, whip-lash damage and lowered mechanical properties. These occurred variously during development tests in which the sheets were suspended from overhead clamps or placed upright on heat-treat racks in loose or tied

MINIATURE COMPUTER GUIDES CENTAUR ROCKET



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A miniaturized, digital computer will be integrated with the Centaur guidance system. The computer was developed under a \$1.8-million subcontract awarded to Librascope, Incorporated, by Minneapolis Honeywell, developers of the Centaur's inertial guidance system.

The Librascope computer will accept in puts from the inertial platform, perform the necessary guidance computations, and pro-



Plymouth's XNR six-cylinder roadster features an airscoop which continues back through the entire length of the car, becoming a functional single fin on the driver's side. The frame for the grille is actually the front bumper.

vide steering signals to the Centaur control system. Silicon-transistorized throughout, the digital computer is immune to a wide range of environmental extremes. Weight of the computer has been reduced to 32 pounds, and it occupies only 0.55 cubic feet of precious space inside the missile.

Prime contractor on the NASA sponsored Centaur program, which has the designed ability to place a 730-pound payload on the Moon and to send instrumented space research and communications satellite into orbit from 300 to 22,000 miles, is Convair Astronautics Division of General Dynamics.

The Centaur consists of a modified Atlas first stage rocket coupled to a 15,000 pound thrust, liquid oxygen and hydrogen second stage under development by Corvair and Pratt & Whitney. Jet Propulsion Laboratory will develop the third stage liquid engine.

KODAK BOOSTS WATER SUPPLY TO 36 MILLION GAL.

A new chemical treatment tank being completed this spring will bring water capacity of Kodak Park, Eastman Kodak Company's largest manufacturing plant in Rochester, N.Y. to a new high of 36 million gallons per day. Six rapid sand filters will complement the huge basin.

The fourth tank to be installed at the treatment plant on Lake Ontario is 60 feet in diameter and 19 feet deep. Water direct from the lake is chemically treated to remove bacteria, turbidity and some color. After sand filtering it is about as pure as it can be made and ready for the making of photo film and paper.

It's the "little things" that pick the corporate pocket

IT'S the mark of a good executive to delegate authority. "Don't run a one-man show," the experts say. It is also the mark of a good executive to backtrack occasionally and check up on the results of delegated authority — particularly in those areas that may seem to require little executive judgment. These are the "little things" — that count.

Take, for example, the purchase of hand tools—wrenches, screwdrivers, impact sockets, pliers, etc. used on the production line or by the maintenance department. Just a routine buying job. You can pick 'em up anywhere—cheap.

But are they cheap? Poor-fitting tools cause accidents. Accidents cost money. Cheap tools damage screws, nuts, expensive parts. More cost. Cheap tools break easily, mean wasted time going back to the tool crib. More cost.

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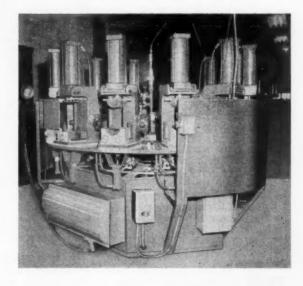


AUTOMATIC MACHINERY SPEEDS BONDING

Resin, heat and pressure combined with automatic machinery produces "hotshot" bonding, a technique making a significant contribution to industrial assembly operations.

The variable-speed bonding machines will permanently join metal, rubber, plastic and other similar or dissimilar materials to each other. The process was developed by the Spanich Bonding & Welding Corp., Livonia, Mich., whose specialty is bonding brake linings and transmission bands for automotive equipment, clutches and brakes for industrial presses and off-the-road construction equipment.

The automatic machine bonds more than 800 work pieces every hour. Similar equipment recently bonded friction material to a 96" clutch plate for a forging machine. Previously, the same job required 1284 rivets.

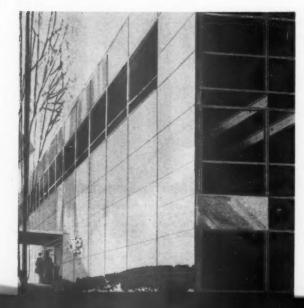


HOW FASTENERS AID PANEL WALL ERECTION

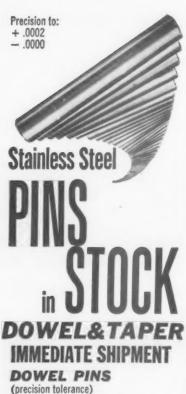
Efficient fastening methods are contributing to the popularity of a new panel wall system as a quick-erecting, low cost structural design.

Stran-Wall, manufactured by National Steel's Stran-Steel Corp., features colorful porcelain curtain wall panels that slip into place on a lightweight steel structure.

The steel framing is load-bearing, which eliminates the need for heavy structural beams and columns. Framing is easily assembled by welding or with self-tapping screws. Panels slip into slots and grooves in the framing itself. A nailing groove in the framing makes it simple to attach collaterals to the exterior or interior walls. Additional floor space results from a thin wall free of boxed columns.



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Aluminum mullions, jambs, sills and headers are designed to be snap-fit or attached by concealed screws to the structure. Other design features include positive water seal and ventilation to reduce condensation, thin-

line mullions and a choice of hopper, fixed or projected windows. Mullions are made of anodized aluminum alloy.

The company also manufactures a complete line of architectural steel products.

AUTOMATIC LOADER FOR RIVETER PROTECTS OPERATOR

A new automated orientorloader and locator provides increased production of paint cans while greatly improving worker safety on a battery of riveting machines. The equipment's specific purpose is the automatic feeding, positioning and riveting of paint can bail-holding ears, mak-

Note that correctly positioned ears are almost horizontal and centered on belt. Improperly spotted ears are dropping back into hopper.

ing it unnecessary for the operator to endanger his hands or fingers. The machine has previously been equipped only with automatic feed for the rivets.

The ears to be riveted are placed in a hopper-type bin from which a continuous impregnated canvas belt rises. The belt passes over north and south pole steel bars placed parallel to and behind the belt. These steel bars are spaced apart by Alnico rods which transfer their magnetic field to the steel bars. By varying the spacing between the centers of these rods, the magnetic field can be strengthened or weakened. Thus, there is a relatively weak field of attraction near the center of the belt. Ears are attracted in clusters to the strong field at the

bottom of the belt and are carried upward.

As these "held" ears enter the middle, weaker field, those improperly positioned or oriented drop back into the hopper, Correctly situated ears rise to the top of the belt where a mercury switch activates a cylinder-type "kick-off", ejecting ears into the river feed chute.

At the bottom of the feed chute, the ears are "fingered" onto the can which has been placed in position by the operator. The fingers are operated by a cylinder activated by a foot switch. When the ear is in position, the fingers retract leaving the ear in position, and a ram rivets both sides of the ear automatically. The operator then turns the can a full 180° until the first ear settles into a recess in the support saddle underneath. The can is thus automatically positioned to receive a second ear exactly opposite the first. The foot switch then activates the second riveting operation.

The Gear-O-Mation-designed machine handles up to 1400 rivetings per hour, or 700 cans.



Operator places can in position and trips foot switch, ejecting ear from load chute onto can. Hands are kept well outside of riveting

HEX BOLT FASTENING CUTS CONSTRUCTION TIME, COST

Power wrenching, although possible with square fasteners, is more practical with hexagon shaped bolts and nuts. Because a hexagon wrench socket is smaller and fits over the nut more easily, it virtually seats itself when the wrench is started. Since a square



Power wrench is readily used even in very tight spaces as in this in-the-beam double connection. Where necesary, chuck extension may be used on wrench.

socket must be positioned by hand before wrenching begins, power equipment often is not used with square fasteners.

In erecting buildings joined with hex machine bolts, New England Iron Works follows the usual procedure of fitting up the joints with one or two bolts and then plumbing the structure. An iron worker then installs the remainder of the bolts, putting the nuts on with just a few turns. A two-man team follows with a power wrench.

New England Iron Works uses the same equipment for tightening the hex machine bolts that it uses for structures erected with high tensile bolts except that torque-controlled wrenches are not necessary. No torque is specified for tightening machine bolts in building erection; the only requirement is that connections be joined tightly.

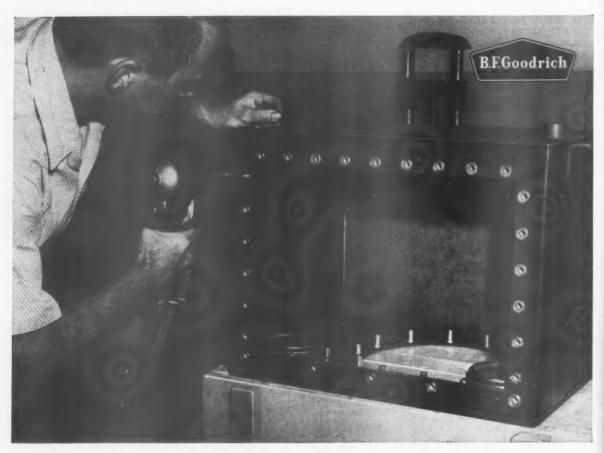
In a typical job savings in time have added up to about 10 man hours per 1000 fasteners. In the erection of a new science building at Bridgeport, Conn., University, RB&W "Hex and Hex" fasteners were installed with an estimated saving of 75 man hours. The building was a simple structure except for many in-the-column double connections.



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WIRE INSERTS MOLDED INTO PLASTIC CARBONATOR CAP LICK FASTENING PROBLEM

High internal gas pressures in conjunction with limited space for boss areas on the plastic cover of a new lightweight beverage carbonator provided an interesting fastening problem for engineers



Molded cap and base is joined to cylindrical chambers by simple solvent-welding process. Molded insert in conjunction with O-ring fitting provides a positive seal that has with-stood pressure tests up to 500 psi.

of Yan-Nell Industries, Newark, N.J., whose product operates without water pump and electric motor.

Eight threaded fittings in the carbonator cover required a gastight assembly that would handle intermittent working pressures of 150 psi. Occasional engagement and disengagement of the CO₂ and water lines also required durable threaded connections.

A limited area on the cover of the unit as well as the high cost of machining a special stainless steel or bronze insert eliminated the use of solid bushings.

The problem of getting enough thread strength to provide a gastight connection and one that would also resist thread water in the relatively soft butyrate was solved by molding wire thread inserts directly in the carbonator cap. Pipe thread fittings were also eliminated and positive sealing accomplished with a composition

O-ring in the connection fittings.

Two stainless steel molding inserts are used in the inlet side of the unit, another for the water inlet fitting. On the discharge side of the carbonator, two inserts reinforce the carbonated water outlet and a relief valve. Two inserts are used for the CO₂ gas inlet.

In conventional applications of Heli-Coil wire thread inserts, a hole must be first drilled and tapped before the insert can be installed. All three steps have been eliminated by placing the inserts in the mold before the forming process.

First, the molding inserts are placed on a thread loading stud and placed in the top half of the stainless steel mold. The mold is assembled and butyrate injected at 20,000 psi. After the mold is separated the insert loading stud is removed from the finished piece leaving stainless steel threads in the carbonator cover.

MACHINE GUARANTEES AIRPLANE FUEL LINE BRAZED JOINTS

Fuel lines for airplane engines require 100% brazed joints. To insure complete brazes, each joint is subjected to X-ray examination and those that do not measure up are rejected.

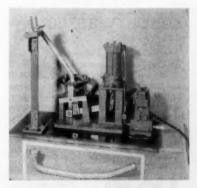
Conventionally, tubular joints have been designed for brazing with a wide overlap to compensate for the expected lack of complete alloy flow. Such joints can often be satisfactory in strength and tightness to pressure and/or vacuum. But when examined by tests to destruction, or by X-rays, too frequently it is found that the diffusion of the alloy into the joint surfaces was only partially

accomplished. Voids or islands readily show up that were not visible to the eye.

The aircraft industry and several of the airlines approached Induction Heating Corporation to learn whether equipment could be designed that would guarantee brazed joints, and on a production line basis.

After experimentation, a method was perfected: Surfaces of the joint are first chemically cleaned. Flux then is applied to all surfaces to be brazed. An alloy ring is placed over the tube and rests on the coupling.

The assembled joint is then



placed over an expanding mandrel and surrounded by a work coil. The work coil is energized; the coupling is heated and ex-

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pands, (it is closer to the work coil) permitting the alloy to flow into the joint capillary. When the alloy in the joint reaches a temperature of maximum "wetting" properties, the air cylinder operates and forces the mandrel to the tube walls. This expands the tube against the coupling and spreads the alloy uniformly throughout the joint area. At the moment the mandrel has expanded the tube, the work coil is de-energized. (The mandrel itself is made of

titanium because that metal cannot be brazed by silver alloy).

Still under cylinder pressure, the joint is allowed to cool. All joints are then X-rayed to determine whether the alloy has covered the entire surface.

The complete fixture is easily accommodated on a standard work-table, and the same work-table can be adapted to take a variety of fixtures that will accept different shapes of fuel lines.

ADHESIVE SOLVES ELECTRONIC PART FASTENING PROBLEM

Increasing pressure for instrument miniaturization has given rise to many assembly problems.

Take the case of a shaft position digital encoder which the ASCOP Division of Electro-Mechanical Research, Inc., Princeton Junction, N.J., is now supplying manufacturers of computers, telemetry and other remote control devices and data processing equipment. The device measures 2½" in diameter and 1½" thick. It converts directly into electrical binary code impulses, machine tool carriages, the shaft position of self-balancing potentiometers and radar antennae.

ASCOP managed to pack the necessary mechanical and electrical components into the compact housing, but an unexpected complication arose—how to attach the plastic insulating sleeve containing the output circuit wires to the cover plate of the housing. This had to be done without em-



Aluminum cover plate with polyvinyl tubing attached is installed on a shaft position digital encoder. Encoder is mounted on test frame.

ploying a connective device which would protrude into the housing.

In considering the use of an adhesive, engineers were faced with the problem of permanently bonding two dissimilar materials: polyvinyl chloride (the sleeve), and anodized aluminum (the cover plate). Eastman 910 was recommended. This high-strength adhesive forms rapid bonds with a wide variety of materials and does not require a catalyst, evapo-

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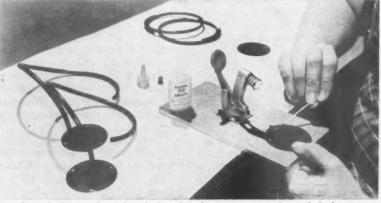
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A polyvinyl plastic tube is bonded to the aluminum cover plate of shaft position digital encoder. Plate with inserted tubing is positioned on jig and adhesive applied. Flaring tool forces the end of tube back against plate.

ration of solvents, or more than holding pressure.

In assembly, the housing cover is placed on the holding plate of a small toggle jig and the plastic tubing is inserted through the cover so that it protrudes slightly. The protruding portion of the tubing and the area of the cover plate immediately surrounding it is cleaned by wiping with a small quantity of nitromethane solvent after which a small quantity of the adhesive is applied. A Teflon tool attached to a toggle device flares and flattens the end of the tubing against the cover plate. Within two to three minutes a bond stronger than the plastic is formed.

It should be noted that because of the almost universal nature of the adhesive, it is necessary to coat the Teflon tool with silicon grease to prevent any excess adhesive from bonding the tool to the vinyl tubing.

BRAZING HOLDS COMPONENT ALIGNMENT TO .007" F.I.R.



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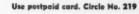
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WHEN AND WHERE TO USE

The production of custom fasteners is a highly specialized and technical science requiring both engineering and manufacturing skill. A fastener "to fit" a specific application often requires special designing within the broad categories of various fastener types, e.g., screws, rings, nuts, pins, inserts, rivets, washers, etc.

Because of special design requirements or limitations, the standard or proprietory products in the fastener field may not be able to fill specific functions required in a particular application. Or standard fasteners may not be available, or cost reduction may be a factor. In a word, the job is special, or custom.

The custom fastener requires special handling in design and manufacturing to make it suitable to the holding application. The use of such fasteners is extremely broad in scope and infinite in number. New designs are being developed daily.

In designing custom fasteners, the function of the part is usually the primary consideration. Space limitations, unit cost reduction, dual or multiple applications, automation, machining, etc., may also be important factors.

In any case, the experience of the designer in this specialized field can make the difference in the practicality of the fastener and the economics of its production.

Materials and finishes also play an important part. All materials from low-carbon cold-rolled steel to heat resistant stainless steel and decorative nonferrous alloys are used, depending on the cost of production. The following chart provides a guide for choice of material. It shows maximum temperatures at which commonly used materials will function without losing inherent spring properties.

Material	Permissible elevat
Brass	
Phosphor Bronze	225° F
Music Wire	
Beryllium Copper	300° F
Carbon Spring Steel	375° F
Alloy Spring Steel	400° F
Monel	
K Monel	
Z Nickel Type B	500° F
Stainless Steel 18-8	550° F
Stainless Steel 17-7PH	
Inconel	
Inconel X	
*Note: Loss of load less than 5% in 48	hours.

The choice of finish is also dependent on the application. Both organic and inorganic coatings can be applied to provide protective as well as decorative qualities. A wide choice of finishes is offered in the

following table which provides a guide for more common applications:

Finish
Nickel Plate
Zinc or Cadmium Plate
Zinc or Cadmium Plate with supplementary passivation (Iridite or Chromate)
Chrome, Copper and Brass Plate
Phosphate with supplementary coat of oil, wax or lacquer.
Oxide Black

Organic Finishes

Heat treating procedures play an extremely important part in the fastener field. Because of the versatility of equipment and experience of custom fastener manufacturers, the correct procedures can be engineered for the ultimate application. The following examples of the design and use of custom fasteners show the broad range of applications and the diverse types of fasteners used. They are illustrated in this article and identified by letter.

(A) A toy manufacturer required a multiple function fastener designed for assembly line installation to provide a linkage as well as spring action for sound control. A one-piece fastener served all three functions. The fastener activates the bellows that makes this toy cow "moo."

(B) A television and radio company wanted a fastener for quick semi-automated assembly of knobs yet providing for ready removal of the knob in the field. A custom fastener designed in strips was the answer. The pre-assembly of the knob and fastener was speeded up because the operator no longer had to handle or orient individual pieces.

(C) A manufacturer of industrial carpets had a blind assembly problem. The carpet was framed by an aluminum extrusion fastened to a second extrusion fastened to the floor. It was necessary for

Used primarily for decorative purposes. Has limited corrosion resistant properties.

Has good corrosion resistant as well as limited decorative properties. If applied to spring steel must be baked after plating to remove hazard of hydrogen embrittlement.

Improves corrosion resistant properties by protecting plate from oxidation. Treatment can be clear or colored.

Used primarily for decorative purposes.

Has medium corrosion protection but no hazard of embrittlement.

Poor protection but can be improved with oil, wax or lacquer.

Good color match possible but protection not as good as electroplating.



by F. R. Downs, Jr. Vice President Stanley-Humason, Inc.

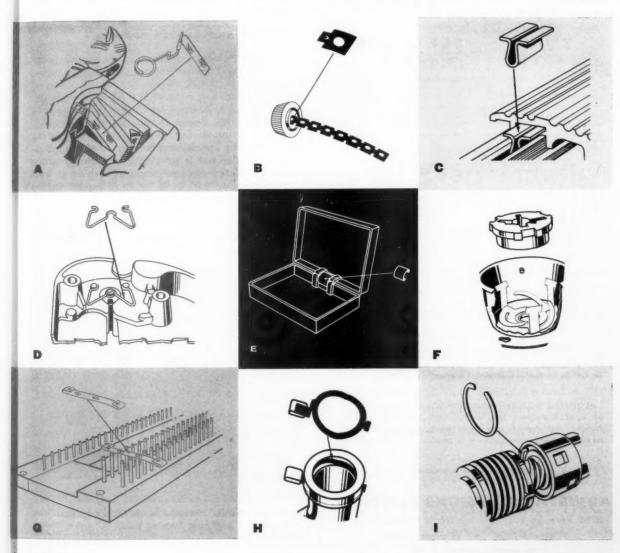
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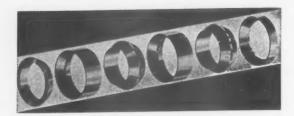
field service personnel to be able to readily disassemble and reassemble. The fastener had a dual function of providing necessary holding power against vibration and traffic yet allow for necessary field service.

(D) An electrical components manufacturer had a problem of holding an adjusting screw so it was vibration-proof yet could float into alignment with other parts. The fastener, as in most other cases, had to be easy to assemble as well as self supporting.

(E) The packaging industry makes extensive use of a fastener known as a "C" spring because it is easy to assemble, compact in design, eliminates hinge components, and provides positive opening as well as closing.

(F) The lighting industry required a quick but positive means of locking a lamp base in industrial fixtures. The solution was a three prong fastener with built-in tension to provide the necessary antivibration feature.





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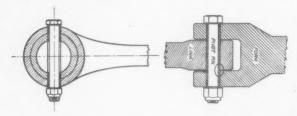
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(G) A custom fastener was successfully used by a piano action manufacturer to perform multiple functions. The bayonet lock provided for a quick yet positive assembly. Spring steel afforded the necessary spring action as well as holding adjusting screws in a vibration-proof position.

(H) One manufacturer had a problem of positively locking a piece of tubing in a cast housing yet allowing for release with finger tip pressure. Both conditions were satisfied by pre-forming a ring stamped from spring steel to provide the necessary

locking medium.

(I) Many internal and external retaining rings combine fastening with other functions. In one case the ring not only held two components securely but also provided for thrust compensation. In another, they not only held two members together but also provided a bearing surface enabling the two parts to index. Many rings have incorporated in their design assembly and disassembly aids and in some cases can be either packed or stacked for magazine feeding.

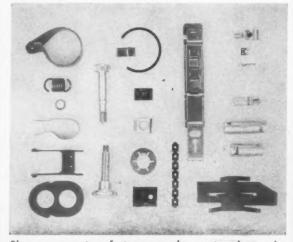
HAIR PINS AND GARTER SPRINGS

A fastener which is flexible in application, easy to assemble and disassemble is the hair pin type. A good lead facilitates assembly, adequate material prevents settage and because of the loop it is readily disassembled. Relatively inexpensive tooling can provide the right design for the right job.

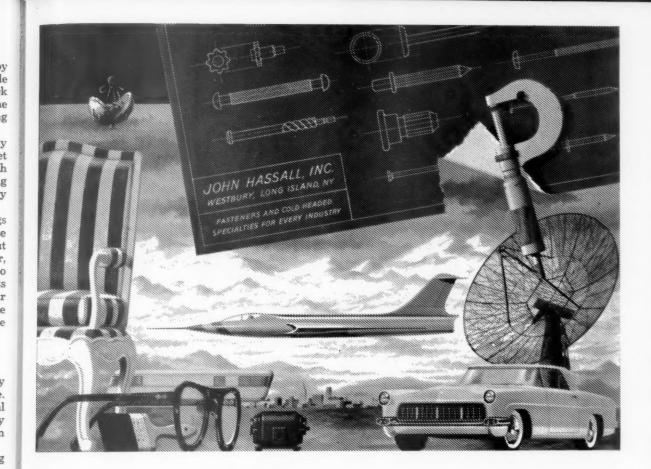
Another common fastener is the garter spring which requires special engineering to the application. A popular use is providing uniform pressure around the entire circumference of a shaft as well as compensating for wear in such assemblies as

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A wide range of industries such as automotive, appliance, aircraft, electrical, toy, packaging, electronic, hardware, tools, to name a few, are served by the custom fastener field.



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A discussion of rotary and percussion type air-powered fastening tools, including such factors as operating costs, flexibility and maintenance

THE ECONOMICS OF PNEUMATIC TOOLS

The uses of pneumatic tools in assembly operations are many and varied. New uses are being discovered almost daily as production capacity expands and as faster, more economical means of producing goods are found.

This discussion of a few representative pneumatic fastening tools will review their power-to-weight ratio, operation, dependability, safety, cleanliness, flexibility, maintenance, and operating costs.

The more common pneumatic power tools used in assembly operations may be divided into two general classes: percussion (hammers, riveters) and rotary (screwdrivers, wrenches, nutrunners). The former class utilizes an air cylinder for striking a blow, while the latter employs a reciprocating-piston air motor to drive a spindle, from which power is taken for the pneumatic tool.

Pneumatic tools may also be classified as devices to tighten unthreaded (rivets) and threaded (screws) fasteners. In both cases, however, the tools work on the same basic principle—the striking of a blow or a turning motion.

A random group of personnel engaged in assembly operations will usually have one person who is inclined to view the process as trivial and concerned with only a few screws, bolts, and nuts—in short, "penny-ante stuff." With industry buying fasteners at a rate of about a billion dollars a year, this is quite a short-sighted view. With the effort to curb inflation and hold the cost line, both fastener and installation costs are of prime importance to both large and small companies.

The cost of fasteners themselves is but a small part of assembly costs, labor in assembly operations being usually three to four times the price of the fastener. It is in the area of cutting costs by speeding up production of assembled products that compressed air serves its users well. Other factors examined by purchasing, design, standards, and quality control personnel also play a part. But once such parameters as type and size of fastener, thread class, materials, and special assembly problems are worked out, compressed air can be relied on as a fast and economical means of driving or setting the fastener.

Of great importance under our present conditions of high labor and overhead costs is the almost static cost of compressed-air power. Analysis of the operational cost for a portable fastening tool will demonstrate that it is very low when compared to other costs. As an example, the air required to operate a heavy-duty pneumatic fastening tool costs less than 10¢ per hour, an insignificant figure when compared to the operator's hourly wage of perhaps \$2.50 per hour, and an overhead figure at about the same level. An estimate of the time required for a tool to pay for itself may be obtained from the following formula:

Weeks to Repay =
$$\frac{\text{Cost of Tool}}{\text{Savings per Week}}$$

Assuming that total cost is \$150, labor and overhead costs \$5 per hour, and that a savings of only $10\,\%$ is realized:

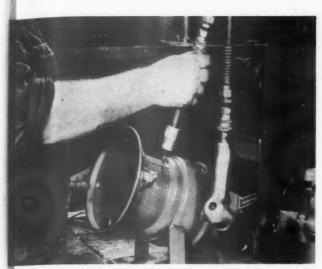
$$\frac{$150}{$5 \times 40 \times 10\%}$$
 = About 7½ Weeks

A saving in time (or money) of but 10% per week for a single worker has been assumed above, a comparatively conservative figure. Greater savings are possible if the factors of proper tool selection, correct line accessories, and operational pressures are observed.

Another benefit of compressed air is its safety both for the protection of personnel, equipment, and the workpiece, and for use in explosive atmospheres.

To protect personnel and to prevent damage to either machinery or work during assembly operations, pneumatic power circuits on tools, holding devices, and similar equipment can employ fail-safe features. These devices are usually designed to operate either under conditions of mechanical failure or improper manipulation of controls by the operator.

Since air-operated devices are inherently rapid in action, the operator is protected by circuitry that may incorporate series hand- and foot-operated valves, both of which must be activated before the work cycle can begin. In a series arrangement pro-



Applications of portable air-powered tools are many and varied. They range all the way from a screwdriver used in applying screws to filter screen on pump (above) to a riveting hammer (right) used by the aircraft industry in the assembly of structural components.

tection is also assured if valves should stick in the operating position. One means is the provision of a pneumatic cycling-type circuit which requires that all valves be restored to the closed position before a new cycle can be started.

In holding the work during fastening operations, low air pressure can cause slippage—with possible injury to operator or damage to property. Holding devices, therefore, should be equipped with a means of failing safe (stopping the machine) when air pressure reaches a preset minimum safe holding value

SCREWDRIVERS

Possibly the most useful of pneumatic tools in assembly operations are air-powered screwdrivers. These units can drive a screw in varying sizes in about one second. They are usable with all types of screws: machine, sheet metal, self-tapping, and with round, flat, binder, fillister, hex, and special heads. Pneumatic screwdrivers can be indispensable aids in meeting production schedules.

One type of screwdriver features a pressure-regulating valve that gives the operator such full control of the spindle stroke at all times that he can stop spindle movement in any position. The ease of pneumatic operation is thus combined with the control advantage of manual operation. Only two adjustments are necessary; once made, no further attention to the machine is required. First the regulating valve is set for maximum down-stroke when the control pedal is open. (Maximum downstroke speed is determined by the type of screw being driven.) The second adjustment is in the exhaust control of the control pedal, which is set for as fast an up-stroke as possible without shock to the spindle when it arrives at the full-up position.

One new series of screwdriver is estimated to give



an annual dividend on payroll dollars of almost \$4,000 because of increased man-hour productivity. Multiplying this individual savings by the number of operators in a given assembly operation can result in an impressive increase in production (or dollar savings) at no increase in manpower.

SET-SCREW DRIVERS

A variation of the familiar screwdriver is a portable, automatic machine used to feed and drive set-screws. As many as 2,000 screws per hour can be carried by air from a hopper to the pneumatic gun. The gun may be placed at a distance from the machine—thus giving the operator considerable mobility in his work.

The operator's touch on the trigger cycles a selector that sends a screw through the delivery tube to the gun, which then inserts and drives the screw. The gun's torque or driving depth may be selected, with a clutch preventing overtightening of the screw. The speed at which the machine operates is governed by thread pitch and insertion depth.

HAMMERS AND RIVETERS

Air hammers are available in a wide variety of types and sizes. This group of fastening tools includes such operations as riveting and nail driving. The size, speed, and weight of the tool depends upon the use to which it is placed, and upon the size and weight of the fastener.

In a typical hammer-type tool such as a riveter, air enters the tool handle. A trigger controls a valve that governs the amount of air being introduced to the air cylinder. The valve admits air to the rear of the piston, throwing it against the rivet. After the

Economics of Pneumatic Tools, continued

blow, the piston is returned for another stroke by air admitted to the front of the piston.

One type of conventional long-stroke, high-power riveting hammer available is made in several sizes and with either pistol-grip or open handles. Strokes vary from 4 to 6½ inches and frequency from 1,450 to 1,100 strokes per minute, the power and frequency being adjusted by means of a knob that controls inlet air on each of the several models.

NUTRUNNERS

Nutrunners have proved to be of great value—in both assembly and disassembly operations. Heavyduty types are available in speeds of from 350 to 1,300 rpm, and some have special right-angle attachments for use in confined spaces. Most modern tools have a built-in oil reservoir in the handle to provide automatic lubrication of rotors.

Available in both reversible and non-reversible types, nutrunners are compact tools that help the operator to turn out a maximum of work with a minimum of effort. The reversible models are adapted to removing nuts, and reverse their action simply at the touch of a switch.

Torque control of nutrunners or screwdrivers keeps torque variation within desired limits and decreases or prevents stripped threads, sheared fasteners, and spoilage of workpiece. The advantages of torque control are of great importance in quality control procedures because this feature tends to eliminate product failures induced by distortion, loose sub-assemblies, stripped threads, uneven loads, and damaged fasteners.

IMPACT WRENCHES

An impact wrench consists basically of a rotating hammer that continues to drive the nut as long as contact is maintained. If there is no torque-control mechanism, torquing is dependent upon the workman's sense of touch and timing and his over-all experience on the job. By restricting the air supply, a fairly good degree of torque control may be achieved that is, to a large degree, independent of the worker's skill and experience. In this kind of tool, however, the operating speed of the tool must be slowed, thereby decreasing work output.

Air-powered tools can offer a big dividend to the volume users of fasteners. Pneumatic tools, used to drive screws, set rivets and tighten nuts, will permit greatly increased production at low cost to manufacturers engaged in assembly operations.

Available in a wide variety of sizes and capabilities, these fastening tools offer savings to both large and small operations—whether the tools be of the percussion or rotary type.

Fastener costs are small compared to labor costs in assembly operations, and it is in reducing the cost of labor that compressed air offers a big advantage to its users.



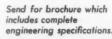
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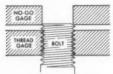


Technical-ities

By Fred E. Graves

Proper inspection for screw threads

Thread inspection should answer two questions. (1) Will the threads allow easy assembly? (2) Is there sufficient thread depth for strength?



EXTERNAL THREADS

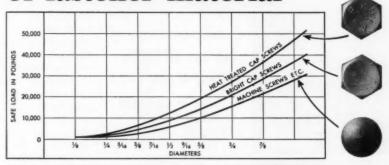
Strength requires sufficient thread flank engagement, which is checked by a minimum major diameter plain ring "no go" gage. Assembly is controlled by thread lead and maximum metal, which are checked by a threaded ring "go" gage.



INTERNAL THREADS

The same reasoning holds true here. Use a threaded plug "go" gage to determine any interferences from thread lead or thread diameter that hinder ease of assembly. The unthreaded "no go" plug will assure proper thread depth for sufficient flank engagement.

Checking both thread lead and pitch diameter with two threaded "go" and "no go" gages not only increases inspection cost but also permits acceptance of pieces with insufficient thread metal. How to simplify selection of fastener material



Safe loads for fasteners made from the three most common steel grades are shown on these curves. Curve for Grade 2 is smooth through the $\frac{\pi}{4}$ size. There is no drop in proof load because RBaW fasteners up to 6'' long are cold headed even in 1" diameters.

Basic job of a mechanical fastener is *physical*. It's designed to exert a clamping force.

Fasteners from a standard analysis of steel satisfy a majority of the usual requirements for this function. Most times, then, specifications should concern themselves solely with physicals for the job. Asking for certain chemical analyses to get the right physicals is doing it the hard way. It can create a needless cost penalty besides.

WIDE RANGE OF LOADS

Generally, the desired physicals can be delivered by a combination of cold working and heat treatment of one of the following common grades.

Grade 1 (or SAE 1010) steel goes into fasteners that offer a design load of 30,000 psi, such as carriage bolts and machine screws.

Grade 2 (or SAE 1018, 1020, 1021) steel goes into bright hex screws and similar items with a recommended design load of 40,000 psi in sizes up to ¾". SAE proof load then drops from 17,350 lbs. in ¾" size to 12,900 lbs. in ¾s specified! This is because larger fasteners are often hot headed, resulting in some annealing. The strengthening effect of cold working is lost.

Grade 5 (SAE 1038) steel provides high strength heat treated bolts and hex screws with 60,000 to 80,000 psi design load range.

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When calculated load on a fastener is below those values, you're wasting its strength and cost. Using the smallest size fastener consistent with the load, and tightening to its maximum load actually increases joint strength.

When you need an alloy steel because of space or weight or higher temperature or strength requirements, specifying physicals will automatically force your supplier to go to high alloy steel.

You will get what you need without selecting the exact alloy to be used. Just be sure you're served by a technically qualified and experienced fastener manufacturer.

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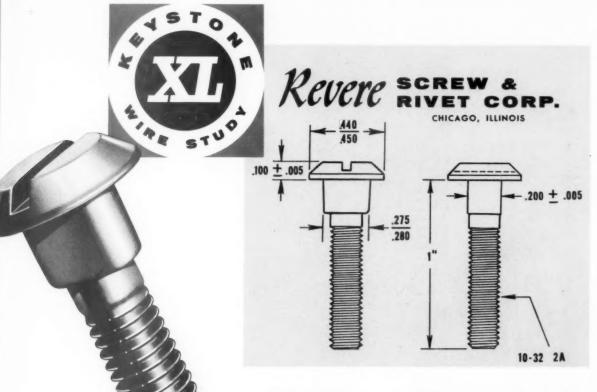
These caps have the same axis and are started by hand. At one time each cap was tightened separately with the housing in fixed position. Now, after the two caps have been started by hand, they are fastened in a single operation by a torque-controlled impact wrench.

A special fixture was designed to eliminate the extra torquing operation. A rotatable set on a supporting disc is attached to the top of the work bench. At the center of the disc is a fixed tool that fits the square recess in the lower cap and enters this hole when the housing is set into a box-like holder above the disc.

When the socket in the pneumatic wrench is inserted in the upper plug or cap, both plugs may rotate at the same time, or either plug may rotate separately. Ultimately, however, turning resistance balances the wrench's torque setting and both plugs are set precisely.



A simple rotating fixture speeds housing assembly by permitting two caps to be tightened at once.



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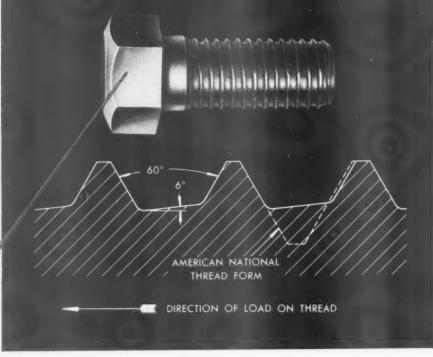


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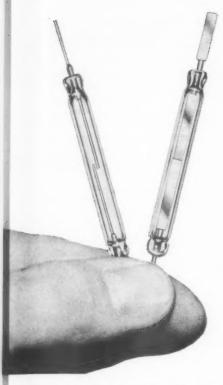
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Contamination through dust particles—which are often invisible to the naked eye—has been a continuing problem in the assembly of delicate electronic relays. C. P. Clare & Company, a subsidiary of Universal Controls, Inc., has all but eliminated contamination as an assembly problem in its new manufacturing plant in Chicago.

At a cost of \$66 a square foot, three times normal factory costs, architects Rapp and Rapp designed a super-clean room to house six automatic 18-station machines to assemble relays. Basically, the units fuse special magnetically-operated alloy contacts within glass capsules in which air has been displaced

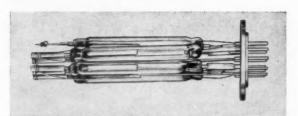
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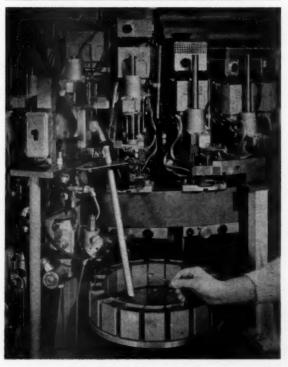
Air supply in the assembly area is double-filtered, first through an electronic prefilter and then through an absolute filter. No dust particles greater than .3 microns in diameter can enter. As president Carl P. Clare points out, a cubic foot of unfiltered air contains hundreds of thousands of particles as large as 20 microns. (Ten-micron particles are visible to the naked eye. Compare these dimensions with machining tolerances, for instance, where .001" equals 25.4 microns).

Employees enter this manufacturing section through a separate entrance. They walk first across a metal grill, then across a mechanical shoe cleaning mat. Here an assembly of nylon brushes (at 432 strokes to the minute) deposits shoe dirt in a pit beneath, where it is vacuum exhausted to the open

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Right top: Six switches clustered for mounting in a single container; Right bottom: Contact switch capsules are deposited in these bins after being assembled, fused and sealed.





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This unflagging observance of scientific cleanliness, coupled with the design of the new relay, insures a relay which gives millions of perfect operations; hundreds of millions when it is operated at half its rated load.



Left: Ten switches are mounted in line, five on each side of a printed circuit board, with five magnetic coils; Bottom: 18-station machine automatically produces Clareed capsules. Recording instruments in background control inert gas mixture.



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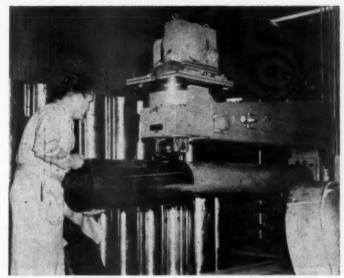
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They said it couldn't be done. But one firm is butt welding sheet down to .001" thick.



Weld seam is being roll planished in a copper water filter shell.

Butt Welding Thin Gauges

by William D. Engstrand West Coast Editor

The growth of thin gage butt welding as an assembly technique parallels the growth of the Airline Welding & Engineering Company. Started as a welding shop eight years ago, today the firm occupies a new 38,000 sq. ft. plant in Gardena, California. "Despite the many other types of welding we do, thin gauge butt welding has spearheaded our progress," states Byron R. Russell, president.

It would be aimless to describe how any one product is produced by thin gauge butt welding because the techniques are similar with all products. Tubular or conical structures of materials down to .001" in thickness can be easily butt welded. Small flat sheets can be edge butt welded together to form

large flat sheets. This happened in the production of stainless steel cover blankets for stainless steel honeycomb materials. The blanket material, .001" in thickness, could be purchased only in 20" long rolls. This material was edge butt welded together to form blankets measuring 10 ft. by 20 ft. in size. Tolerance of the weld seam, after roll planishing, was held to minus 0, plus .002". The weld seam itself was stronger and more flexible than the parent metal along either side,

Edge butt welding of thin gauge materials has proved particularly advantageous in the production of sheet metal containers—especially steel drums and hot water heater tanks. When combined with roll planishing after welding, the butt weld seam is crushed down to a thickness comparable to that of the parent metal. When smoothed out and contoured with the container walls, after finishing, the seam cannot be detected by the naked eye. Roll planishing eliminates the necessity of seam grinding. The



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Top: A telescoping stainless steel tube is edge butt welded; Right: Weld seam on water heater tank is visible only because of metal discoloration; Bottom: Huge automatic butt welder produces final weld in a tank body. Note that tank diameter exceeds ceiling height above machine.





Butt Welding Thin Gauges, continued

planishing operation cold works the weld metal to improve its strength and ductility. Such materials as titanium, zirconium, copper, stainless steel, 1010 steel, the mild steels, and aluminum have been successfully edge butt welded in quantity.

Before describing the techniques involved in thin gauge butt welding and roll planishing, one more production job will point out the possibilities inherent in these processes. This is production of .005" stainless steel tubing by thin gauge butt welding and planishing for the manufacture of convoluted expansion joints. The tubing as welded and planished, along with one of the finished expansion joints is pictured on page 42.

The finished expansion joint includes three of these tubes telescoped together to produce an expansion joint wall thickness of .015". The multiple layers provide far more flexibility in the joint than could be obtained by a single sheet of .015" thickness. This is because a small amount of individual movement is allowed each of the three tubes during joint expansion or contraction.

To edge butt weld these tubes so that they will telescope together in what in effect is a press fit, diameter tolerances (nominally 10") must be held to minus 0, plus .002". This is accomplished by first edge butt welding the tube, allowing for the slight expansion or widening of the weld seam that will be caused by the crushing action during roll planishing. Because of the telescoped assembly, each of the three tubes must differ in diameter by a distance equal to twice the thickness of the material, or .010". Yet these extreme tolerances are obtained without difficulty.

It might seem to many engineers that during convoluting of the tube into an expansion joint, the butt welded seam would be liable to fracture due to the short bend radii employed in each convolution. This is where roll planishing pays a big dividend because, during planishing, the metal is cold worked until its ductility exceeds that of the parent metal. These expansion joints are widely used in chemical and oil industries all over the country. While Airline Welding & Engineering does not do the convoluting, they produce the telescoped tubes ready for the convoluting process.

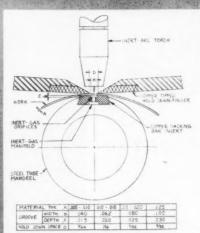
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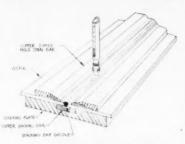
The above job description should certify to any production engineer that thin gauge butt welding can serve the requirements of any structural sheet metal job. This method will produce a weld seam that is cleaner, lighter in weight, and requiring less material than the conventionally-used lap welded seam.

Thin gauge butt welding is based on what is known to welding engineers as the "chill-shunting theory" of welding. In substance this theory has to do with the conducting of heat away from the weld area fast enough to prevent overheating effects, extreme distortion, and possible burn-through of the material being welded. A crude form of chill



Crude application of the chill shunting theory of welding thin gauges.





Left: Positioner setups with automatic chill-shunt tooling, an inertigas, shielded non-consumable electrode welding process; Top: chill-shunt tooling for a butt joint.

shunting has been used for years in butt welding thinner material. In this technique, the material was merely butted together over a slot in a plate, then angle irons or some other type of bar shape were clamped against it adjacent to the weld area. The additional mass of the bar stock aided in dissipation of heat from the weld area. But this was a cumbersome and slow process, and lacked consistent results.

CHILL SHUNTING APPLIED

Here is a basic description of how the chill shunting theory is applied in automatic butt welding machinery. A wide backing plate or welding mandrel made of steel is provided with a relatively wide slot for insertion of a copper backing bar. Copper is used immediately under the weld area because of its very good heat conductivity. To aid in aligning the work, holding it in place during welding, and again to expedite conduction of heat away from the weld area, hydraulically actuated steel hold down bars with copper tips clamp down on the work from above, after it has been aligned over the slot in the copper backing bar.

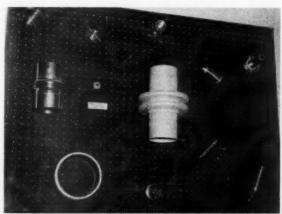
In actual construction, the welding mandrel is a large, heavy-walled steel tube with a milled slot to receive interchangeable copper backing bars. These copper backing bars, available with different width slots for different types of welding, have a milled, inert gas manifold punctuated by numerous drilled orifices which admit inert gas into the slot directly under the weld seam. Thus, when an inert gas welding head is used, the weld area is entirely contained in an envelope of inert gas which effectively prevents any oxidation either in or on the weld.

In actual machine construction, the hold down bar is segmented into a number of closely spaced hold down fingers ranging from 1" to 2" wide. After the work has been aligned over the slot in the copper backing bar, these hold down fingers (hydraulically actuated) clamp downward and inward. The inward

motion (towards each other) is provided to press the sheet edges very tightly together. This motion is so effective that on very thin gauge material, a slight metal upset occurs between the sheet edges. This butted tightness aids materially in securing an optimum weld seam. After the sheets are clamped in place, the automatic welding head is adjusted according to the type of welding to be done, then travels at a preadjusted speed along the seam to perform the weld.

Practically any type of welding head desired can be mounted on these machines. In most cases, however, where very thin gauges are being welded, no weld wire or additive weld metal is used. The tightly fit edges are merely fused together. This has several advantages. The weld seams are less bulky and are easier to finish. The original parent metal alloy is maintained in a homogeneous state. There is less danger of weld inclusions, and, because no welding wire is used, the simple fusion process is somewhat less costly. While its ability to produce square edge butt joints has been responsible for

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Display board shows different products initially component-joined by butt-welding.



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Butt Welding Thin Gauges, continued



Byron Russell holds .005" tube which is telescoped with two or more tubes, then convoluted into expansion joint shown on the display board.

the popularity of this machine, double flair joints, corner joints, and lap joints can also be produced.

The weld joint produced by this automatic butt welder is cleaner and better proportioned than can be produced even by the most expert hand welding. However, in high precision work, and in work where extreme weld ductility is required, the company-designed roll planisher is used after welding. In this machine, two pressure rolls are forced together by the action of a hydraulic cylinder. One of the rolls is powered so that when sheet metal is inserted between them, it will be dragged through the rollers.

In weld bead planishing, one end of the bead is inserted between the rolls, and the operator guides the work so that the weld bead continues to feed directly between the rolls. Pressure is variable on the rolls up to 10,000 or 12,000 psi, depending upon the machine. But since much less than a full square inch of the weld bead area is in contact with the rolls, the actual pressure on the bead may be as high as 150,000 psi.

This pressure actually crushes the weld metal down to a thickness comparable to that of the parent metal. In so doing, it smoothes the weld metal out and eliminates weld bead grinding which formerly had to be accomplished to get a finish coating over the weld bead area. Some specialized roll planishers have contoured roll surfaces which actually contour the weld bead and blend it with the contours of the part being planished. These contoured roll planishers are widely used in the appliance industry for contouring the weld bead on hot water heater tanks which will subsequently be coated with porcelain enamel. After application of the enamel coating, the bead will be invisible.

A second big advantage of roll planishing accrues from the cold working of the weld metal as it is crushed down. This increases its toughness and strength, with the amount of the increase dependent upon the material. When butt welded pull test specimens consistently break in the weld when tested in the unplanished condition, they will just as consistently break outside the weld when tested in the planished condition.

There is one other advantage of planishing which cannot be overlooked in high precision work. Naturally, as the weld bead metal is crushed down by roll planishing pressure, it elongates to a certain extent. This will slightly increase the diameter of a welded tubular or conical structure. When high precision diameters are required, the part is butt welded just slightly undersize, then expanded to the proper size on the roll planisher. If one pass under the rolls doesn't quite do the job, the operator may make two or three planishing passes. By following this practice, finished diameters down to .001" tolerance can be obtained.

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Let us give one more example of the high precision possible in thin gauge butt welding.

These products are the screen centrifuges widely used in both the plastics and citrus juice industries. These very thin gauge screens have up to a million holes per square inch which are chemically etched in them. The finer screens appear as solid to the eye until held up to the light. The holes are plainly visible in the coarser screens.

At Airline Welding & Engineering, these screens are edge butt welded into the necessary cylindrical or conical shapes, then planished to reduce the weld bead to parent metal thickness. On some of the coarser screens, used to produce a plastic product by centrifuge distribution of the plastic, the screens are welded without altering the shape or spacing of the holes over the weld bead area. In this case, width tolerance of the butt welded seam was held to .010"; thickness tolerance to .002". Trial-and-error attempts to produce this homogeneous hole pattern were effectively eliminated by the cost of the screen itself—\$1200 per square yard!





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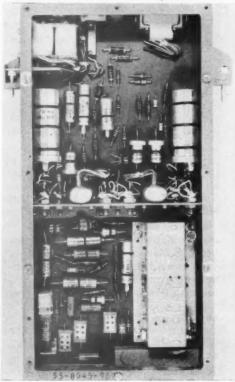
Round rubber straps hold-down capacitors, resistors and other components

MOUSETAILS SECURE MISSILE COMPONENTS



After recovery of nose cone, mousetails still held most components in place despite many G's of force and chemical erosion. Only failure was where phenolic mounting plate cracked at mounting holes.

Note the neat layout of one electronic assembly for a Bomarc missile before firing. Mousetails secure all but the smallest components.



by Darrell Ward, Engineering Editor

A prophetic insight into the future is often presented in science fiction movies. The Mighty Mouse cartoons didn't miss this bet very far, except the missiles and electronics industries have elevated the significance of small parts to greater esteem than the animal cartoon version of Superman. Instead of taking the whole mouse, they now have found the mousetail instrumental in getting complex electronic equipment off the ground and out into space with greater reliability.

After extensive research and laboratory testing, Boeing declared in a recent report that . . . "Proper application of these straps (mousetails) should reduce primary installation time of (electronic) components, sustain reliability of the assembly and reduce the time required for removal and replacement of components and wire bundles."

What are these mysterious mousetails? Basically, they are small, rubber compound straps which look like round cocktail toothpicks. However, instead of using them to pick up olives, pickles or hors d'oeuvres, mousetails in some electronic assemblies will hold down capacitors, resistors and other components subjected to as much as 25 G's during missile firings.

Developed by Rubber Teck, Inc., mousetails come in a variety of sizes and shapes, some with an eye like a needle for threading the opposite end back through the first as with a lariat noose. The friction on the surface and the elastic properties of the rubber make the ends of the mousetails hold securely whether they are inserted through the undersize holes in a chassis or looped back on one another to make a slipknot tie around cables.

When the mousetails are installed, they are elongated 100%, $\pm 10\%$, to stretch them through the mounting holes. Test reports showed that the effort to remove the mousetail after aging and setting of the elastomer is increased by approximately 20%. No burred or dimpled edge is desired on the hole to grip the rubber strap. In fact, a clean hole is required to avoid cutting or tearing.

Mousetails, themselves, seem rather far ahead of many other factors involved in radia-

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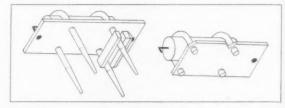
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Mousetails Secure Missile Components, continued

tion problems of outer space. They can be subjected to a radiation dose of 1.21×107 Roentgens without serious results to their physical properties.

Boeing's findings were based on the average values of numerous mousetails molded from Rubber Teck Compound RT 332-70. Results indicated compatibility with many different environments—physical and chemical as well as radiation. However, solvent tests showed that only aliphatic naphtha could be tolerated in prolonged contact, Therefore, all cleaning of electronic assemblies, before and after installation, should be with aliphatic naphtha.



Normal mounting of components requires only a clean hole through which end of mousetail can be drawn. Surplus end can be trimmed. For resistance to applied forces above 16 G's, a clamp is used to help retain the ends.

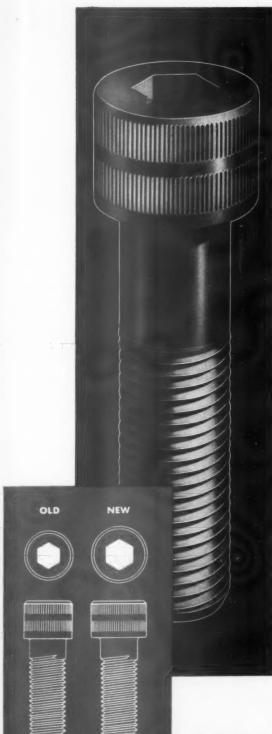
Resistance of mousetails to temperature changes was demonstrated by the fact that no cracking whatever appeared after nine cycles of a test in a range from —65°F. to 160°F. Physical force was used in the extreme low temperature test down to —80°F. to remove mousetails from the test jig. They were pulled violently after immersion in the —80°F. bath and did not pull loose from the jig, nor did they show any evidence of crystallization.

Another test proved that ozone resistance insures added reliability of component assemblies in this kind of atmosphere. A concentration of 6 ppm ozone for 200 hours is approximately equivalent to 75 years at normal atmospheric ozone concentration on the West Coast. Yet, very slight pitting was found in the mousetails at the end of the test and no complete deterioration or breakage was found.

Vibration tests of components installed with mousetails demonstrated no serious problems if a force of 16 G's was applied for as long as 8 minutes. It was also determined that forces much greater than 16 G's can be handled with special clamps to hold the mousetail ends on underside of a panel.

Why all this extensive testing and reporting on such a simple thing as a rubber mousetail? Simply because the physical properties of the mousetails when installed, or when being installed and removed, are of extreme importance to the company assembling electronic component boards or dressing cables. Very little effort is required to install and elongate the mousetail. But, after aging and setting, the effort to remove them increases by 20%.

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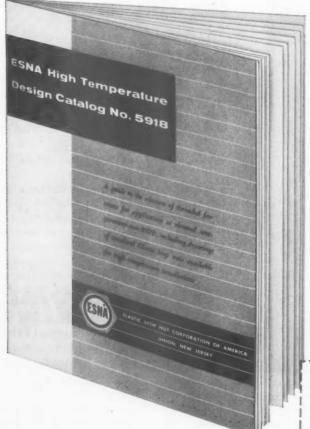
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FASTENER DRILLS AND TAPS OWN HOLE

Where adaptable to the job, new fastener can help minimize problems of hole alignments. Early applications are in light gage metal parts.

by **S. S. Kohn**, Vice President Parker-Kalon Division General American Transportation Corp.



Formation of spiral chip shows metal is being removed by new fastener as it drills and taps its own hole. The genesis of the Tapit was a screw which had been produced by rolling a Type A thread from a specially designed cuneiform pointed (pyramid type) blank. Every facet of industry is re-examining conventional assembly practices with the view of speeding up production, lowering costs, and at the same time bettering the fastening. The awareness of these problems in industry is self-evident if a study be made of the weekly Official Gazette of the U.S. Patent Office. Almost every issue contains numerous types of fasteners most of which are designed to accomplish one or more of these objectives.

One of these new fasteners is the Tapit which incorporates in one unit two dissimilar but integrated functions. It drills its own hole and forms its engaging thread simultaneously.

At first glance the Tapit screw appears similar to the conventional Type A thread-forming screw, but on closer examination the new screw has distinguishing characteristics that set it apart. A cuneiform (pyramid type) pointed screw blank, capable of drilling a hole in sheet metal, has been mated with the tapping features of the thread-forming screw.

The fact that a screw could be designed and produced to form or cut its own thread was an incentive that spurred the development of an even more versatile fastener. Since a screw could make its own mating thread, why could it not also drill its own hole?

However, until recently there has been but little progress made in this direction. The reason is simple to understand once the problem is analyzed.

A hole may be drilled in sheet metal with a tool as simple as a pointed nail. Apply sufficient pressure to a rapidly revolving nail and in no time a ragged pierced hole will result. By adding engineered

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refinements to the nail, such as a diamond shaped point, plus hardness and employing the same speed of rotation and pressure, metal will be removed and the quality of the hole considerably improved.

The progress of the metal drill through the ages is a step-by-step evolution. Each era of mechanical progress has contributed its quota of improvements. Today there are hundreds of different types and kinds of drills, each designed to meet the requirements of our technology. With this background, it was assumed that by producing a headed screw blank having a multiple-fluted shank and provided with a drill point, such a blank after threading and hardening would result in an ideal fastener. Unfortunately, the problem was not as simple as that.

In order to function properly, thread-forming screws must have their thread so designed and hardened that they are capable of compressing or extruding the engagement material to form a corresponding mating thread in the metal. They are used in sheet metal holes slightly larger than the root diameter of the thread, but smaller than the outside diameter of the screw. The thicker the material they engage, the larger the hole diameter.

As the screw is turned into the hole, the extruding action of the hardened thread decreases the internal diameter of the hole. This can be verified by gaging the hole before and after thread formation. It is apparent that for a proper mating of a drill and a thread-forming screw, a means must be provided to do the following: create a mechanism for the minimum penetration of the engagement material; design a device for enlarging the hole until the lead thread of the screw is reached; and remove continually material in advance of the helix until the root diameter is approached.

By successively performing this sequence of operations, the object of the hole-drilling, thread-forming screw has been accomplished. The statement of the problem, as was expected, was simpler than the solution.

A breakthrough in this development came about six years ago when Parker-Kalon engineers were called in to work with the designers of an automatic lawn watering device. Certain assemblies required attachments that had to be fastened to aluminum tubing. Since thinwall tubing was difficult to drill, it was realized that this assembly would be a good application for a hole drilling screw. Many varieties of such screws that had previously been tested and discarded were reexamined. One looked promising. It had been produced by rolling a Type A thread from a specially designed cuneiform pointed (pyramid type) blank. This was the genesis of Tapits.

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After considerable research and the production of one lot after another of test samples, a screw was designed that not only drilled its own hole, but formed its own thread. The fastening it made was more secure than those that could be made with conventional Type A screws. This came about because the resulting hole produced by the Tapit was the same diameter as the root diameter of the screw itself. Since their development, more than 10 million of these new screws have been used in the assembly of lawn watering devices alone.

FIVE VARIABLES TO CONSIDER

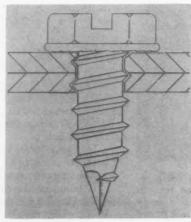
Because assembly details vary so widely, it is impractical to make blanket recommendations for specific applications of this new screw. There are five variables that must be given consideration.

1. Hardness of engagement material: Naturally the hardness or density of the metal has a bearing on the ease of penetration of the drill point. The same conditions apply as with an ordinary drill. The harder the material, the greater the driving pressure required to pierce the metal. At the present stage of development, Tapits are recommended only for comparatively light gages of sheet metal, such as galvanized sheet .020 to .035" thick, automobile deep drawing stock .020 to .040" thick, stainless sheet .015 to .025" thick, aluminum extrusions or sheet not exceeding .060" thickness.

2. Displaced material: This is the diameter of the hole that Tapits produce in metal as they are



First use of new screw was fastening base section to aluminum tubing.



Cross-section shows threads engaging two thicknesses of sheet metal.



Tapits can be driven with automatic equipment such as this Jet-Setter.

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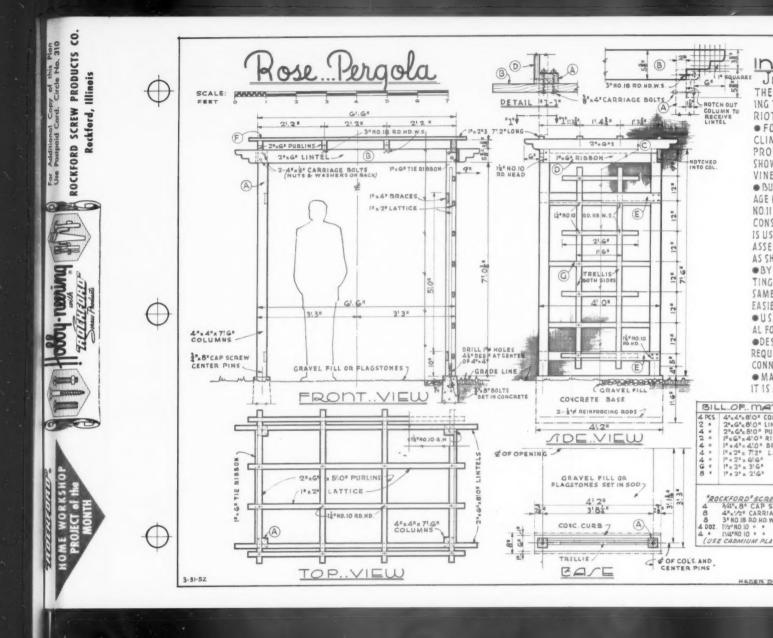
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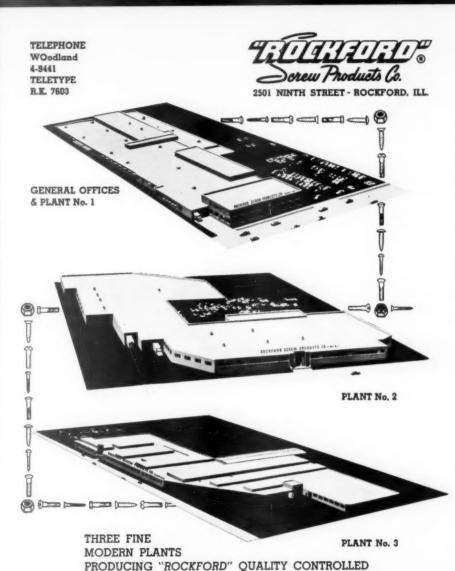




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4. Driving speed: Tapits may be driven with electric or pneumatic screwdrivers, using either manual or portable automatic feeding machines. Since the design of the screw point is somewhat different than the conventional high speed drill, for best results the driving speed should be between 700 and 1000 rpm.

5. Driving pressure: Sufficient pressure must be applied through the driving tool to enable the drill point to start penetrating the metal. If too little pressure is used, the cutting action of the point is materially reduced. Furthermore, continued driving without material penetration will generate considerable temperature at the point, thus reducing the efficiency of the cutting faces of the drill point.

Since speed and pressure must be applied simultaneously to make them function, standard Tapits are produced with hexagonal washer heads. They are driven with conventional hexagonal sockets, either plain or magnetic. The hex head fits the socket snugly to assure that full pressure is transmitted through the axis of the screw to the point. As soon as the point of the revolving screw impinges on the metal, the drill point starts removing material. As rotation and pressure continue the hole is rapidly enlarged.

By the time the point has penetrated the metal, the lead thread of the screw enters the hole thus formed and starts engaging. Since the cutting faces of the drill point extend to the lead thread, the hole continues to be enlarged by a combination of reaming from the point and extruding from the screw thread. As soon as the point is completely through the metal, the hole is the same size as the root diameter of the screw.

For fastening parts to sheet metal provided with clearance holes, the screws are simply driven into the metal as a wood screw is driven into wood.

When fastening two pieces of firmly-held metal, the screws will drill through both sections. The threads engage in each sheet, binding them together as though they were locked in a vise.

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TYPICAL APPLICATIONS

One common use of this new screw is in elbows and other duct work. Similar light gage sheet metal applications include such enclosures as water heater jackets, air conditioner shrouds, oven covers, etc. Other uses are in the assembly of metal carports, awnings and jalousies.

However, the mass production industries that assemble products using light gage metal parts offer the most opportunities for developing the full value of this fastener. If the screw can be adapted to the job, it will minimize to a great extent a host of problems related to hole alignments.



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A \$10 million exhibit of 15,000 products will be displayed by 567 companies sending 4500 experts to aid 20,000 visiting engineers and executives. The machine design division of the ASME will conduct a concurrent conference.

LAMSON & SESSIONS

Three types of fasteners—lock nuts, plug-type inserts and line clamps—will be featured in Booth 2002. Plug nut threaded inserts, once pressed into ductile material, become self-clinching. Three types of Stover lock nuts reportedly require only 75% of the tightening torque to produce the same clamping force in bolts as produced by comparable fasteners. Safe-Line clamps are designed for 6x9 and 7x19 right hand lay steel wire rope.

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HELI-COIL

▲ A miniature automated inserting tool for high speed production installation of wire thread inserts will be demonstrated at Booth No. 1828. Capable of driving up to 1200 inserts per hour, the new hopper feed and lightweight gun combination is designed specifically for automated assembly line operation in any type or size of material where higher loading strength and greater resistance to wear are required in tapped holes. Weighing only 18 ounces, the gun can be remotely operated up to 8 ft away from the hopper feed mechanism.

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MINNESOTA MINING

▲ How a line of structural adhesives can solve design and assembly problems will be demonstrated in Booths 1718 and 1720. Scotch-Weld thermosetting film can be die cut into complicated shapes and provides room temperature shear strengths up to 4200 psi. One-part liquid modified epoxy adhesives contain a latent hardener to eliminate the need for weighing and mixing. Excellent for honeycomb bonding, these adhesives require only contact pressure. Pictured is a cutaway section of a vaporizer, constructed by bonding two concentric aluminum stampings using a one-part epoxy. Two-part epoxy adhesive require mixing before use but no pressure for curing.

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ALCOA

New joining techniques will be among the products and methods exhibited in Booth 2032. Samples will also show finishes, fabricating processes and unusual end-products formed by the company's customers. More than 50 separate categories will interest designers.

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BRISTOL

▲ Handy open-end ratchet wrenches and the 1960 socket head cap screw series will be displayed in Booth 430. Wrenchking is reported to save up to 70% in tightening nuts; the line exceeds government specifications for open-end wrenches. In the 1960 screw series design, the head is 1½ times the body diameter of the screw. This provides greater bearing surface, while eliminating identation of the surface in which the screw bears.

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PANDUIT

Nylon cable clamps and ties, plastic wiring tube and new plastic control panel wiring ducts will be exhibited in Booth 409. In addition, molded one-piece corner junctions, T-junctions and straight thru couplings for use with wiring ducts have been developed. Three methods of mounting the ducts

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SIMMONS

▲ A special fastener for use when the strength of a bolt is required but where fast opening and closing is desirable will be introduced in Booth 2434. The Cam-Bolt, now in use on missile and engine containers, maintains constant, leak-proof seal of any predetermined pressure. It locks and unlocks with a quarter-turn. A single adjustment made during installation insures proper sealing without the use of a torque wrench or further tests or adjustments.

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ROBIN PRODUCTS

Visitors to Booth 333 will be invited to install self-retaining stamped fasteners and clips on sample plates. A clip hopper and both hand and air tools will be available to demonstrate Riv-it applications by easy clinching. Used in all mass production industries, the basic part can be modified to individual requirements, such as fastening tubing and wiring, moulding, holding decorative ornaments.

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Two small quarter-turn fasteners and an adjustable pawl fastener will be featured in Booth 1210. The Lion miniature, designed for electronic, airborne and industrial units, has six stud lengths to accommodate total material thickness (both sheets) from .040" to .159". Where shock resistance is important, another panel fastener consists of the standard Lion No. 2 quarter-turn stud and retainer, with the spring installed in a special mounting assembly. The key-operated pawl fastener is suited for instruments and cabinets.

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HEYMAN

▲ Accordion-type terminal bushings which snap into curved and flat surfaces will be displayed in Booth 1217. The miniature nylon-insulated receptacles mate with 3/16" and 1/4" standard disconnect terminals. New sizes of nylon circular snap bushings for mounting hole diameters of 3\" up to 1\"\" will also be introduced.

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MAC-IT PARTS

Socket head cap screws have been designed with more bearing surface to result in less compression because of the change of direction in stress. The fasteners will be exhibited in Booth 1604. The taper in head design creates greater locking effect, requiring up to 23% more torque to release. Over-all working efficiency over previous design is increased 27%.

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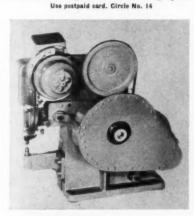
BUCHANAN ELECTRICAL

▲ Electrical connecting devices will be featured in Booths 2216 and 2220. New pre-insulated splice caps combined with a ratchet-controlled crimping tool can be used for wide ranges of solid or stranded wiring. Both air and hand Tri-sure-tools have a three indent rolling-action crimp which distributes the crimping pressure uniformly and minimizes thinning of insulation. Snap-fit terminal blocks will also be exhibited.

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UNITED SHOE MACHINERY

A new principle that can be used for the transmission, conversion or change of mechanical motion will be demonstrated in Booth 924. The transmission, known as Harmonic Drive, will be shown in a variety of forms: a radar antenna drive with a reduction ratio of 40,000 to 1, a small servo-gear motor in which the drive is part of the housing, an industrial gear motor, and a micro-linear conversion unit. In addition, Pop blind rivets, a line of automatic screwdriving units, industrial adhesives and eyelets will be displayed.



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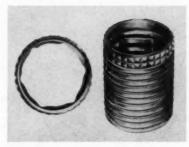
▲Precious metal electrical contacts and the automatic machinery used for assembling them will be featured in Booths 625 and 724. Cold headed from sintered silver-cadmium oxide wire in rivet form, the contacts' conductivity runs 84% to 88% I.A.C.S. The assembly machines have head and anvil designs which permit attachment or double heading of contacts to precision tolerances.

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LAMINATED SHIM

Solid shims that peel for adjustment—called Laminum—provide quick and easy alignment on assembly lines. Both brass and mild steel shims are now available with plastic bond, as are stainless steel and aluminum shims. Booth 1221 will also exhibit sample stampings, including lock washers, clamps, brazed assemblies and special parts.

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▲A new thin wall threaded insert features an internal thread lock which exceeds MIL-N-25027 specs. The lock design is flexible and does not damage the bolt or insert. Slimsert has a wide temperature range, is light in weight, has positive external lock, minimum edge distance and is corrosion resistant. It is installed in two operations, to be demonstrated in Booth 1215. The fastener comes in aircraft and commercial qualities in sizes No. 10 through ½".

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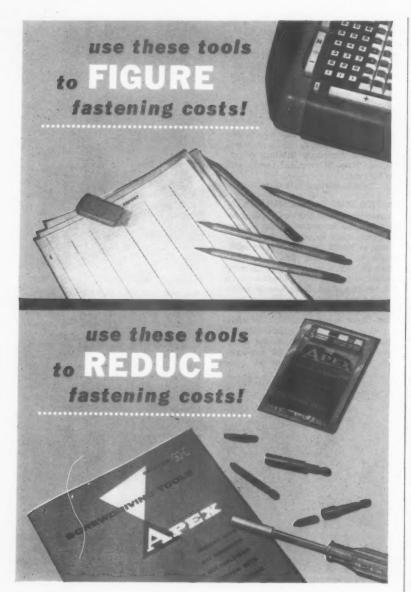






EASTMAN CHEMICAL

▲ Do-it-yourself will be the theme at Booth 2004 where engineers are invited to evaluate the strength and speed of setting of Eastman 910 adhesive. A variety of plastics, metals, rubber, etc. will be available for testing. In the pictured experiment a drop of adhessive is applied to the end surface of a 2" diameter steel rod, tapped to receive an eyebolt. The joined rods are placed between a crane hook and lifting harness and after setting for 30



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minutes the bond supports a load of 5000 pounds.

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TINNERMAN

▲ Evidence to prove the value of engineered multi-purpose fasteners will be presented at Booth 1226. An average of 25 new Speed-Clip fasteners are developed every week and actual production line assemblies will be displayed to demonstrate their use. There will be a sample service counter.

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JOHN HASSALL

▲Designing for Cold Heading will be the theme in Booth 1639. Blow-ups of cold headed parts which have cut production costs will be accompanied by case histories. Sample parts such as rivets, threaded fasteners, specials will be available. Applications of cold forming which have cut scrappage will also be pictured.

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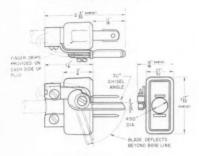


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▲ Electrical and electronic connecting devices will be featured in Booth 1303. AMPin-cert (pictured) is a line of rack and panel connectors incorporating solderless pins and sockets. They are furnished in M, D and W series to be interchangeable with current configuration. Maintainable Electronic Component Assemblies is a new modular

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▲ An automatic self-grounding electrical power connection will be introduced in Booth 915. The small, flat and armored plug has a special polarized grounding blade with a chisel-edge. When inserted into a 2-hole receptacle, the blade deflects to one side and the chisel-scraper makes a good contact with the faceplate of the receptacle. It is rated at 125 v. at 15 amps to 250 v. at 10 amps.

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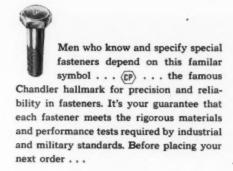
▲ Hundreds of zinc alloy die cast onepiece gear and pinion combinations available from stock dies will be displayed at Booth 2435. The small parts are made to AGMA standards for fine tooth 14-½° involute form gears with slight modifications. Parts are also made to specifications. Pictured above are the 11 gears made for the International Register Company's automatic range finder.

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g 3. Electromagnetic and vibratory parts feeders and their accessories will comprise a major part of the exhibit at Booth 2107. The devices may be incorporated wholly or in part in assembly equipment. Hopper level switches, flow control valves, spiral elevating feeders and other equipment will be demonstrated.

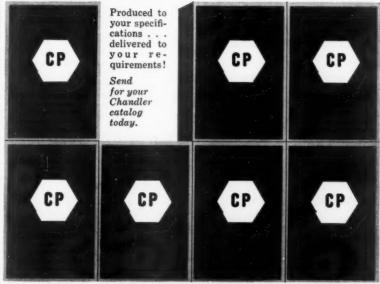
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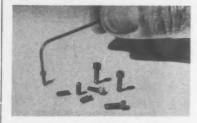
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A New socket screws, self-locking screws, miniature shaft collars and automatic set screw driving machinery will be exhibited in Booth 2124. Pictured are miniature Unbrako socket screws with Nylok pellets in microsizes No. 0 to No. 4, being used in tool and die and machinery applications to check vibration. Model changes have also been made on the Setomatic which feeds, inserts and drives hex socket set screws up to 2500 per hour.

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ANACONDA METAL

Stainless steel flexible hose assemblies will be exhibited in Booth 1236. A-X, a new assembly for expansion uses, will be featured. A display of sample assemblies will demonstrate engineering achievements in solving pipe problems such as misalignment, vibration, motion, flexing, temperature extremes, conveying corrosive fluids and gases.

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▲ Quarter-turn fasteners in the standard, supersonic, panel and universal lines will be exhibited in Booth 735. In addition, quick release fasteners (pictured) will be demonstrated. The spiral cam parts are used for fastening hinged or removable components; holding tension varies from 20 lbs. for the 3/16" size to 65 lbs. for the 7/16" size. Available in both flush or oval types with full grommet.

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The design possibilities of stainless and alloy steel tubing, bars, and flat rolled products will be demonstrated in Booth 2131. Of particular interest will be the display of carbon, alloy and stainless steel tubing and pipe, and the demonstration of properties. The booth will be staffed by metallurgists and experienced sales personnel to answer questions relating to the design

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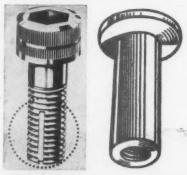
New sizes added to standard lines of wing and acorn nuts and push-on fasteners. Nuts which form their own threads while tightening on studs will be shown in Booth 306.

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Problem-solving applications of Rivnuts—one piece blind rivets with internal threads—will be demonstrated in Booth 1403. Tooling used to upset the fastener, hole preparation, test data will be featured. Samples of the many head types will be available.

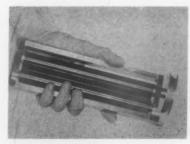
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▲ The new, companion P-K socket screw line with Long-Lok inserts will be shown in Booth 635. Superior thread engagement, high torsional resistance and a self-locking drag are reported from the new fastener design, available on cap screws, set screws, button heads, flat heads, shoulder screws and pipe plugs. The insert is made of Polycap, a nylon type polymer.

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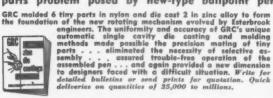
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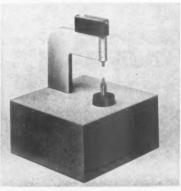
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A semi-automatic swaging machine for setting turret terminals is used on both printed wiring and conventional circuit boards.

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A pneumatic impact wrench has a %" bolt capacity, weighs 5¾ lbs. and is equipped with a cam actuated throttle valve requiring light finger pressure only.

Drive shanks are bearing supported and motors are locked in. For areas where air line lubrication is not available, an oil reservoir in the handle contains an oil metering unit. Rundown is 7100 rpm.

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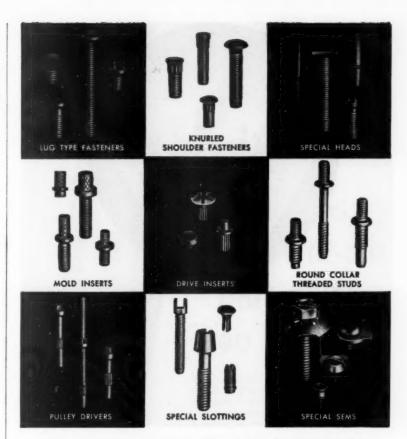
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An automatic retaining ring assembly machine is intended for Truarc radially-installed crescent rings, Erings and reinforced E-rings. It can be adapted to a variety of operations.

While each Ring-O-Mat is designed to install only one ring, more than one unit can be mounted in the same fixture.

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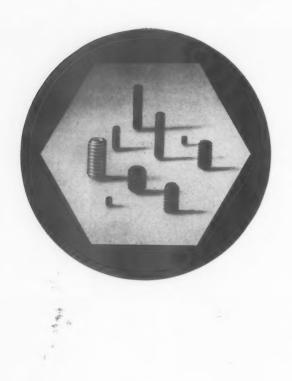
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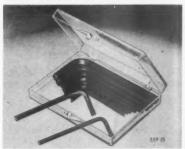
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TOOL STEEL HEX KEYS FOR 1960 SERIES CAP SCREWS



Two new hex keys for the new 1960 type cap screws which replace the 36 series are required for cap screw sizes 6 & 8 which have both been changed in the socket dimensions.

Setko hex socket keys are made of alloy tool steel and isothermal heat treated for maximum strength without brittleness. The new key sizes are 7/64" and 9/64" and are available as a part of a set of eleven boxed in a clear plastic, break resistant container. All eleven hex keys can be used for all types of hex socket screws.

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RIVET GUN PERMITS QUICK, BLIND ASSEMBLY



A riveting gun permits the user to insert and crimp rivets from the same side, without having to get behind blind work surfaces.

The Snapo is used for almost all sheet metal and mechanical assemblies. Simple to handle and light in weight—only 1 pound, 7 ounces—the gun can be easily operated with one hand. Its clinching action pulls parts together with up to 600 pounds of force. Countersunk heads leave a flush surface for easy finishing. A minimum number of rivet sizes covers almost all applications.

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The C-150 series of square plunger, push action toggle clamps comes in 3 standard sizes: ½", ¾" and 1".

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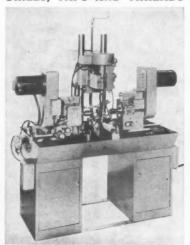
Important features include: positive radial location of the plunger about its axis, even with normal pin wear; large surface area of the square plunger that extends service life; and the ease with which adapter pads can be mounted to the flat surfaces of the plunger. Note that the broached guide holes and close plunger tolerance fit permit accurate locating as well as clamping action.

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TRIPLE SPINDLE MACHINE DRILLS, TAPS AND THREADS



A high speed fully automatic triple spindle machine is designed for secondary operations on screw machine and headed parts, die castings, stampings and molded plastic parts.

The machine has two horizontally opposed spindle units and one vertical spindle unit. Each unit can be cycled individually and automatically, in any combination with the other two units, allowing varied sequence to suit the job.

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Universal – Automatic Corporation,

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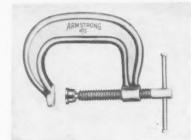


An automatic riveting machine simultaneously positions a tubular rivet through an assembly and into a washer, the latter providing a strong metal area for the rolled clinch. The machine is an adaptation of a cutlery rivet setter. It rivets light metals and any other material where the added protection of a washer is desired.

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A new style swivel pad has been developed for a line of deep throated drop-forged C-clamps.

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The 400 series is available in capacities 0 to $1\frac{1}{2}$ " through 4" to 12".

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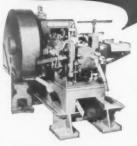
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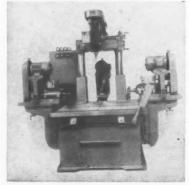
Screws up to 2" in length are automatically driven to pre-determined torque with a power assembly tool system. Rivets, studs and pins can also be metered, from between 4000 and 7000 parts per hour.

Tru-Tork incorporates a pneumatic screwdriver, hopper feed and plastic feed tube. The operator can work up to 50 feet from the hopper, with only 40 lbs. of air required. In operation, the screw itself acts as the pilot to

center the screwdriver on the hole. In applications such as cabinet work, mobile home floors and going through several sheets of aluminum, it is not necessary to predrill holes.

Clyde Engineering & Mfg. Corp., 937 E. 10 Mile Rd., Madison Hts., Mich.

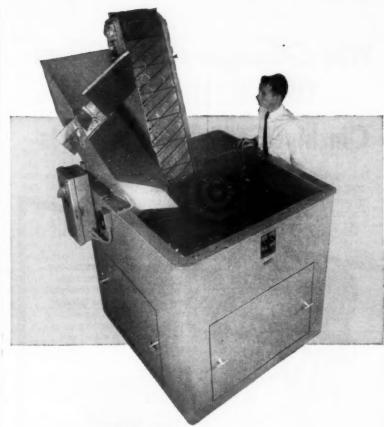
UNIT WORKS ON FIVE SIDES OF PART IN ONE CYCLE



A drilling, tapping, boring, reaming and spot-facing machine will perform operations on as many as five sides of a piece part in one work cycle. The Wis-Matic is available with any combination of one to four horizontal power units and one vertical power unit. All are adjustable in vertical, lateral and longitudinal planes.

Instantaneous change-over from drilling to reverse tapping can be made from the master control station for any power unit.

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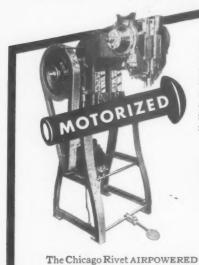
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A parts positioner takes parts from a feed track and places them into nests, work stations, auxiliary machines.

Coupled with a parts feeder, the positioner replaces manual insertion of parts under the ram of a press or screwdriver. The cycle of the unit can be made fully automatic or semi-automatic.

Varied parts can be handled. Production speed is adjustable and rates of over 5400 cycles per hour have been reported.

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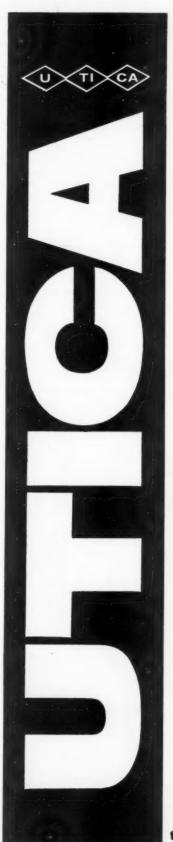
MICRO-WIRE WELDING FOR LIGHT GAUGE SHEET METAL



Micro-wire welding is a new automatic welding process developed for carbon dioxide shielded arc welding of mild steel from 24 gauge to 1/4".

The process was named for the small .020" to .045" diameter welding wire that is fed continuously from a spool into the weld zone. Equipment for the process includes a lightweight guncable assembly, a wire feed unit, gas supply and regulation apparatus, and a power source of the constant voltage.

The gun of the gun-cable assembly is kept cool by atmospheric air and does not require water and heavy water hoses for cooling. The cable of the guncable assembly is new to the industry, being designed specially for the process. All wire feeding facilities, gas tubes and wires are contained inside one extruded cable jacket which measures only 34" in diameter. The small diameter of the cable makes it light, extremely flexible and easy for the





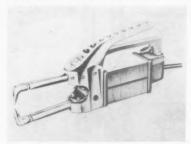
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operator to manipulate the gun.

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PORTABLE SPOT WELDERS FOR UP TO 1/8" STEEL



Two portable spot welders are designed for use on mild steel, stainless steel, and galvanized iron up to 1/8" combined thickness.

The units weigh 24 pounds. Model 11 operates from 115 volts AC and requires 3.3 kva. Model 23 requires 230-volt AC power and is rated at 4.4 kva. The design features a fixed top tong which permits one-hand operation of the unit relieving the other hand to position the work. The top tong rests the weight of the unit on the exact spot to be welded, giving added contact pressure for a sound weld and reducing operator fatigue.

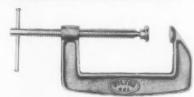
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AUTOMATIC FLUX DISPENSER ELIMINATES WASTE

An automatic liquid flux dispenser mixes flux with acetylene in the exact amount for the pressure and tip size being used. The flux forms a vapor which saturates the gas and goes right on with the acetylene into the flame and out on the work. There is no waste. Brazing liquids made for the Mark III Jet Flux Dispenser are the standard for maintenance brazing and Super Clean for production.

All-State Welding Alloys Co. Inc., 249 Ferris Ave., White Plains, N.Y. Use postpaid card. Circle No. 59

C-CLAMPS FOR LIGHT INDUSTRIAL APPLICATIONS

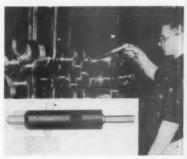


A series of C-clamps is designed for service in light applications. The five different-sized units in the 200 Series have clamp swivels guaranteed never to come off. Capacities range from 3" to 10" with standard depth range from 1% to 3%". Minimum proof test ranges from 2000 to 4000 lbs.

Wilton Tool Mfg. Co. Inc., Schiller Park, Illinois.

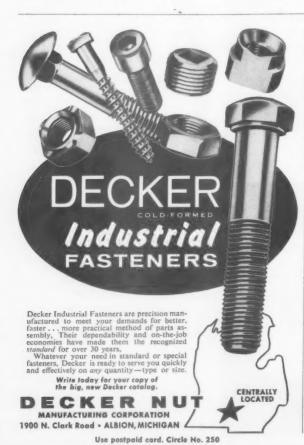
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DEBURRING TOOL FOR ANGULARLY DRILLED HOLES



A tool has been developed for deburring and chamfering irregular hole surfaces such as those obtained by drilling into a cylindrical surface or angular plane. The Ellipti-Bur automatically follows the hole configuration.

A conical pilot is directed in the hole using a low-speed, portable air drill motor. The deburring operation may be performed as parts progress along a conveyor line or while palletized between successive machine stations. Once the pilot is seated, the two-lipped cutter is independently free to follow a consistently changing surface pattern.





A specially-designed cutter which "floats" in the central tool body prevents motion from being transferred up to the operator's hand.

Nobur Mfg. Co., 6860 Farmdale Ave., North Hollywood, Calif.

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TORQUE-WRENCH CALIBRATOR WITH WIDE CAP.

Designed to rapidly load and read out the actual "break-away" value of torque wrenches of any design, the Model TWC-139 torque-wrench calibrator uses a conventional proving ring as a load measuring standard.

For most torque-wrench designs, operation is automatic. The wrench is inserted in the mechanism, and load



links and range of the electronic digital counter are set for the correct range. The tang is rotated by a hydraulic piston and cylinder assembly. At the break-away point of the wrench, the counter displays the torque value in either inch-pounds or foot-pounds.

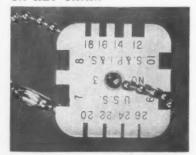
The digital counter translates the linear displacement of the proving ring into torque values with a calibration accuracy of 0.4% of full scale. It can calibrate torque wrenches with capacities from 20-inch-lbs. to 2000 foot-lbs.

An adjustable thrust arm can be positioned for any usual length of torque wrench, and four interchangeable socket inserts accommodate standard wrench tangs.

Steel City Testing Machines, Inc., 8817 Lyndon Ave., Detroit 38, Mich.

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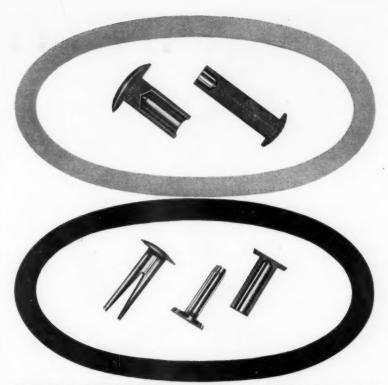
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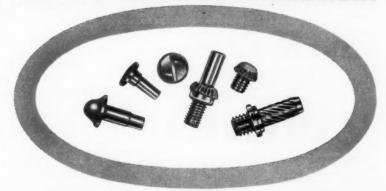
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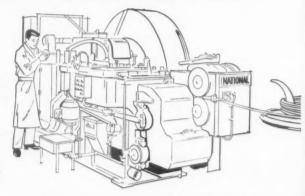
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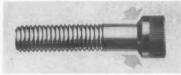
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CHEMICAL-TREATED SPONGE TINS METAL SURFACES

A sponge impregnated with tinning metals, chemical cleaner and a flux is used for tinning metal surfaces before soldering.

Tin Swipe is simply wiped across the metal surface. Heat is applied and at soldering temperatures a smooth, complete coating of tin appears.

Surface preparation is limited to wiping off dirt and grease. When soldering copper or galvanized fittings, the sponge is wiped on the end of the tubing. The inside of the fitting is wiped and pieces joined. Solder is applied in the usual manner.

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EPOXY RESIN CEMENT FOR GENERAL-PURPOSE BONDING

Epoxy resin compounds are finding increased bonding applications in electrical equipment manufacturing, in addition to general purpose use.

In the pictured application, Metalset A-4 is being used to create a seal for washers on the terminal conductors of a 75 kw electrical resistance heater.

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CAP SCREW HEAD TAPER IMPROVES EFFICIENCY

A basic change in socket head cap screw design incorporates a taper rather than a straight flange in the head. An overall 27% improvement in working efficiency is reported.

The IB series have 17% more bearing surface without an increase in head size. There is 14% less resultant compression since the taper changes the direction of stresses. Corner fatigue is virtually eliminated. The greater lock-

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The fastener is standard in all regular sizes in diameters from No. 4 through 11/2".

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DISHED LOCK WASHER WITH SPRING TAKE-UP

A dished lock washer combines the locking action of a toothed lock washer with the spring take-up of a cone washer. The spring take-up compensates for large differentials in expansion between plastics or die cast materials and the steel in the screw.

In addition, the fastener's burr-free flat rim prevents scoring of surfaces.

The part can be furnished as a free washer or in Sems and Keps assemblies, recommended for substitution for a flat washer being used with a split ring washer. It can be made small enough to fit confined areas.

Shakeproof Division, Illinois Tool Works, St. Charles Rd., Elgin, Ill.

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PANEL BUSHING ASSEMBLY FOR 1/8" DIAMETERS

A panel bushing assembly has been added to a line of electronic components.

The No. 1818 assembly, designed to accommodate ½" diameters, includes a nickel-plated hex-ended bushing, hex nut and internal tooth lock washer. It comes in lengths of ¾", ½" and ¾" with ¼-28 UNF Thread.

Cambridge Thermionic Corp., 445 Concord Ave., Cambridge 38, Mass.

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ALLOY FOR PROGRESSIVE STEP BRAZING METHOD

A high-temperature controlled atmosphere brazing alloy is composed of copper, nickel and boron and reportedly has greater strength than standard copper brazing alloys.

The new alloy is useful in progressive step brazing techniques, This

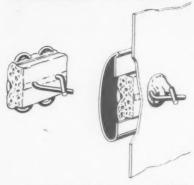
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procedure allows the pre-frabrication of brazed components and the subsequent assembly into a composite unit by furnace brazing methods.

Superweld Corp., 6840 Vineland Ave., North Hollywood, Calif.

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SPONGE SEALING DEVICE ATTACHES TO WIRE CLIPS



A sponge-like device can be attached to any of an existing line of wire clip fasteners to effect sealing action.

The molded vinyl plastisol sponge can be adapted to Trimclips to prevent leaks and water seepage into the product body. Water is not absorbed by the substance because of its closed cell structure.

Gagnier Fibre Products, 10151 Capital St., Oak Park, Mich.

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FLUSH TYPE LATCHES MEET MIL STANDARDS

Missile-Air aircraft, flush type latches meet or exceed all requirements of MIL-E-5272A, according to environmental tests performed by American Laboratories.

Featuring over-the-center positive action, the latches require only fingertip pressure to open. Fail-safe construction prevents accidental opening.

Double sealing gaskets around aluminum alloy push buttons assure minimum leakage from pressure differential. The frames of the 1¾ oz. latches are of stainless steel.

Missile-Air Division, United States Chemical Milling Corp., 1700 Rosecrans Ave., Manhattan Beach, Calif.

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RATCHET TERMINALS SPEED CIRCUIT BOARD ASSEMBLY

Ratchet terminals are simply pushed into 1/16" cards with .101" holes. The terminal jaws hold component leads securely without pre-forming leads, feeding through holes or wrapping around a post.

For experimental circuitry, both components and terminals can be snapped out and re-used. For production equipment, the terminals are staked either by hand or automatic methods. Components can be mounted in place and soldered on a production basis.

Heat is dissipated in the terminal, permitting use of short, space-saving leads with less danger of heat damaging components. The terminals are part of an integrated system of mounting and wiring components.

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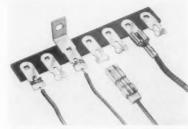
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Alden Products Co., 117 N. Main St., Brockton, Massachusetts.

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LUG TERMINAL STRIPS COMBINE THREE FUNCTIONS



Universal lug terminal strips are designed to combine the functions of three separate terminal strips.

The .205" width of the lug is a suitable male for the junior size, quick-disconnect female. The inside slot is provided for tie-point terminations. The side notches are provided for wrap-solder terminations.

Where the tie-point or wrap-solder method is used, the notch at the end of the terminal holds the first wire when dressed back. Each subsequent





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wire locates itself for inspection. Mandex Mfg. Co., Inc., Dept. AE-3, 2614 W. 48th St., Chicago 32, Ill. Use postpaid card. Circle No. 74

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EXPLOSIVE SEPARATION NUT FOR MISSILE SYSTEMS



A fastening device for missile separation systems differs from conventional explosive bolts by combining mechanical separation activated by a small explosive charge.

The separation nut includes a mechanical nut, a squib containing a low energy explosive and a connector to the electrical system for detonation. The non-captive type separates from the bolt or stud, while the captive type attaches to the structure and contains all fragments or component parts following detonation.

The nut is used in combination with standard diameter, grip length bolts (160,000-180,000 psi tensile) at full strength allowables.

Hi-Shear Rivet Tool Co., 2600 W. 247th St., Torrance, Calif.

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REINFORCED TERMINALS FOR HIGH VIBRATION DUTY



A line of solderless electrical terminals has been strengthened by a seamless, annealed, tin-plated brass sleeve permanently attached over the regular terminal barrel. The Vibrakrimp is designed for excessive vibration applications.

The skirt of the sleeve extends beyond the barrel and is crimped in the same operation as the barrel to permanently grip the wire insulation,

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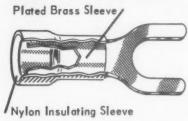
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Terminals come in all tongue types: ring, hook, spade, flanged spade and rectangular. The 1/4" minimum barrel length eliminates squeeze-outs and shearing, allows a wider crimp for

strong connections. ETC Incorporated, 990 E. 67th St., Cleveland 3, Ohio.

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PLATED. NYLON-INSULATED SOLDERLESS TERMINALS



Avikrimp construction style has been designed into a line of solderless terminals. Annealed, tin-plated brass sleeves add extra barrel strength and permanently anchor the wire insulation to the terminal.

A permanently-attached nylon sleeve extends beyond the metal support sleeve, eliminating the need for extra insulation. Samples.

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Chem-Etch treatment anchors the adhesives to the Teflon. A wide variety of common adhesives can be used, including chlorinated rubber types. resorcinol formaldehyde cements, as well as epoxies.

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Chemgineers, Inc. 4570 Brazil St., Los Angeles 39, California.

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BONDING WITH RESIN. HEAT AND PRESSURE



Similar or dissimilar materials metal, rubber, plastic, etc.-are permanently bonded by a process using resin, heat and pressure. Automatic, variable speed bonding machinery can be custom designed for specific applications.

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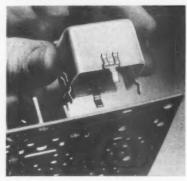
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Fasteners combining a locking assembly with adjustable pawl pull-up are suited for instruments, especially gasketed high voltage equipment, tape and paper machines, small safes, hospital equipment, vending machines and on liquor cabinets in airplanes, for example.

The dust-proof, vibration-resistant fasteners are easily installed. Simply drill or punch three holes and insert two screws. The screws are hidden so that they can not be removed from the outside. To operate, insert the key and turn until the pawl grips panel firmly. The key can be removed at any

90° position. It has a special broad shank to provide sufficient torque without distortion.

Locking Adjustable Pawl Fasteners are made in two different basic sizes. The No. 14 has four grip ranges from .125" to 1.500"; No. 44, three grip ranges from .125" to 1.125". A broad variety of door panel thicknesses can be accommodated.

Southco Division, South Chester Corporation, Lester, Pa.

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SELF-TAPPING SCREW ALSO DRILLS OWN HOLE



A screw for use in sheet metal, plastic and wood, drills and taps its own hole and is designed for both manual and power assembly.

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Aluminum foil, coated with an adhesive which bonds it permanently to plastics, plywood, and other wood products, has become available commercially.

When bonded integrally to wood or plastic products, the coated foil may serve as a moisture barrier, decorative element, a base for paint, a light reflector, a strengthening agent, or a disperser of heat. Bonding to other materials is accomplished under heat and pressure usually in a hot press.

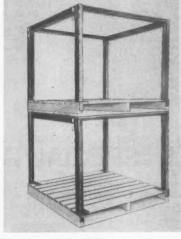
The foil development became feasible when Polymer Industries, Inc., Springdale, Conn., created Dri-Line, an adhesive coating which anchors extremely well to any aluminum surface.

Coated on one or both sides the foil will be available in gauges down to .001", and in widths up to 50".

Aluminum Company of America, 734 Alcoa Building, Pittsburgh 19, Pa.

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HARDWARE TURNS PALLETS INTO PORTABLE RACKS

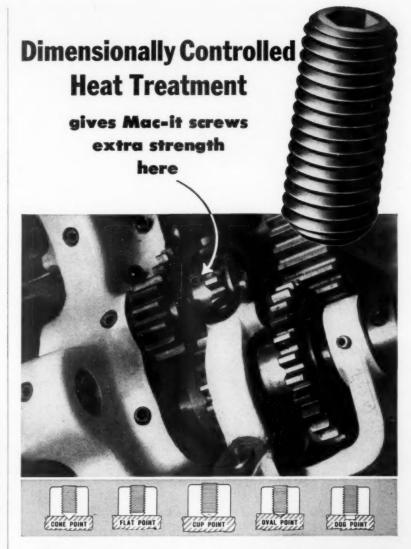


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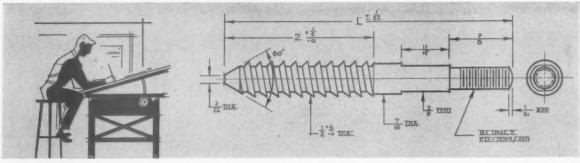
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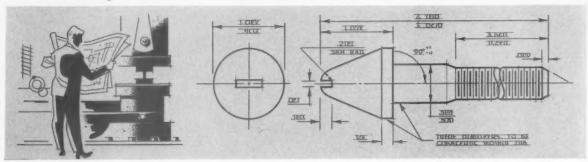
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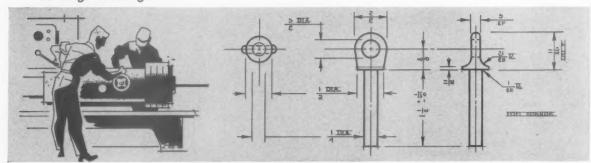
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Common problems in the welding of stainless steels are discussed in question and answer form. Illustrations and graphs are included in the 10-page pocket-sized guide. Arcos Corp., 1500 S. 50th St., Philadelphia 43, Pa.

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GROUND TERMINAL SCREW

A 10-24 terminal screw for electrical grounding protection is pictured and described in a one-page flyer. The fastener has a pre-assembled tawasher, reaming point and thread-cutting feature. Shakeproof Div., Illinois Tool Works, St. Charles Rd., Elgin, Ill.



A data sheet describes the Hook-Lock latching device for use on military cases and commercial containers. The positive-locking, springless latch lies flat against mounting surfaces open or closed. Dimensions given. Simmons Fastener Corp., North Broadway, Albany 1, New York.

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ALUMINUM ALLOYS

A guide to the selection of aluminum alloys is contained in a 24-page booklet Physical properties, fabrication characteristics, strengths, tempers, finishes and patterns are various topics discussed in charts, text and illustrations. Metals Div., Olin Mathieson Chemical Corp., 400 Park Ave., New York 22, New York.

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SELECTING AN-ANS BOLTS

Catalog 600 has been prepared as a guide to the selection of bolts and special fasteners for the aircraft, missile and avionic industries. A 40-page catalog includes 18 pages of AN and NAS aircraft bolt standards for quick reference. There are an additional 12 pages of availability charts referencing AN and NAS hex head bolts, NAS external and internal wrenching bolts, close-head tolerance, corrosion resistant



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and A286 non magnetic aircraft quality bolts. Aircraft Bolt Corp., 543 Monterey Pass Road, Monterey Park, Calif.

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SOLDERLESS TERMINALS

Fourteen types of solderless terminals and connectors are available in five construction styles. Complete specifications and net prices are listed in 14-page Bulletin 5E9. A handy chart cross-references all types with five other brands. Waldom Electronics Inc., 4625 W. 53rd St., Chicago 32, Ill.

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SOCKET SCREW GUIDE

An 82-page technical reference on industrial socket screws includes both standard catalog data and extensive design and performance information. "Unbrako Socket Screw Catalog and Engineering Standards" covers more than 2800 items: socket head cap screws, set screws, shoulder screws, button head screws, pressure plugs and

socket screw keys. Additional product lines reviewed are Unbrako square head set screws and dowel pins, It assembles into three distinct sections of one volume: 1) Basic information on size, material and availability—in tabular form. 2) A 33-page section of basic design and performance information. 3) A simplified technology of fasteners. Standard Pressed Steel Co., Box 1121, Jenkintown, Pa.

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SPOT, PROJECTION WELDERS

A 12-page brochure (8-413) describes 32 multi-spot and projection resistance welding machines in detail. Data include: end product, type of operation, production rate, welding machine specifications, and material handling equipment. Automatic loading, inspection, special welding techniques, spot, projection, and seam welds, resistance brazing and hot upsetting operations and automatic transfer are features covered. Taylor-Winfield, Warren, O.

BRAZING STAINLESS STEEL

A 15-page reprint of a technical paper by H. M. Webber details the brazing of stainless steel. Instructions in cleaning, fits, designing fixtures, selecting gases, cycling and other phases are presented. Aerobraze Corp., 30012 Lakeland Blvd., Wickliffe, Ohio.

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WING NUTS

Stamped and press wing nuts are dimensionally drawn and specified in an eight-page catalog. Various types are available in steel and brass. Central Screw Co., 3501 Shields Ave., Chicago 9, Illinois.

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ASSEMBLY LINE SEATING

Metal chairs and stools for production seating at work are pictured and cataloged in a four-page brochure. Chairs and stools are grouped in adjustable, quick adjustable and fixed height categories and charted against eight types of optional equipment. The Toledo Metal Furniture Co., 1100 Hastings St., Toledo 7, Ohio.

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WORK HOLDERS

Work holders and clamps for welding, soldering, brazing and bonding operations are pictured and described in a two-page flyer. Specifications are given





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Members of the Phillips Recess Engineering Standards Committee, shown left to right, are: R. Mark DiFruscio, Screw Research Assoc.; Ken Ringland, Central Screw Co.; Harry Johns, Steel Company of Canada, Ltd.; Ed Tauscher, Pheoli Manufacturing Co.; Alan Barclay, Steel Company of Canada, Ltd.; Marshall Hammond, Wrentham Steel Products Co.; Fred E. Youngdahl, Wrentham Steel Products Co.; Frank J. Washabaugh, American Screw Company; Herman G. Muenchinger, Chairman — American Screw Co.; Cyril Smith, Linread, Canada, Ltd.; Louis Cummaro, Screw Research Association; John J. Simko, National Screw Mfg. Co.; Harvey Erdmann, National Screw Mfg. Co.; Art Breed, Lamson & Sessions Co.; Vincent Mottola, Screw Research Assoc.; Ed Locke, Continental Screw Co.

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CLAMPS, JIGS

Clamps, jigs and fixture components are dimensionally drawn and specified in 72-page Catalog 20. Lodding Inc., 16921 W. 8 Mile Rd., Detroit 35, Mich. Use postpaid eard. Circle No. 117

SOLDER

Solders available in acid core, rosin core, solid wire, bar or sheet are covered in a one-page flyer. A chart shows in degrees F and C and melting point for available solders. Anchor Metal Co., Inc., 966 Meeker Ave., Brooklyn 22, N.Y.
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TERMINAL ATTACHING

Automatic wire-measuring, cutting, stripping and terminal attaching is done on a machine introduced in a four-page bulletin. Capacities of the TA-20-S are listed and features are indexed on a photo. Artos Engineering Co., 2757 S. 28th St., Milwaukee 46, Wis. Use postpaid card. Circle No. 119

TAPPING ATTACHMENTS

Two complete lines of tapping attachments for machines with reversing and non-reversing spindles are pictured and specified in a four-page brochure. Capacities range from No. 00 to 1". Design features and in-operation photos are included. Tapmatic Corp., 845 W. 16th St., Costa Mesa, Calif.
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TROLLEY CABLE CONVEYOR

New engineering features in overhead cable conveying are presented in four-page Bulletin C-60. Idler wheel turns, rapid dip vertical idler turns, vertical S-curves, horizontal track curves are illustrated and discussed. Harry J. Ferguson Co., 115 West Ave., Jenkintown, Pa.

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CLIP MOUNTED BUMPERS

Self-retaining rubber extrusions are fastened by a spring steel clip with dart base design. Six features of the assembly are listed in a four-page bulletin which pictures and describes the six types of bumpers, mounts, feet and spacers available. Cooper Tire & Rubber Co., Findlay, Ohio.

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NYLON ANCHORS

Two-piece nylon body and steel pin anchor fasteners are introduced in a pocket-sized bulletin, Typical uses of the hammer-driven Tap-Its are pictured and features listed. Robert Q. Partridge, Inc., 2222 N.W. 10th Ave., Miami 41, Fla.

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BROACHES

Standard round, square, hex and serration portable push-type broaches are cataloged in a four-page brochure, The 55 standard Sir Presquick broaches a.e. specified for use with small arbor presses and similar equipment. California Broach Co., 666 S. Anderson St., Los Angeles, Calif.

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DEBURRING TOOLS

Cutting, burring, and hole chamfering time through automatic tools is the theme of Bulletin 1115. How Nobur is chucked on lathes, drill presses and other machines is shown in photo sequence. Features are described in text and charts. Specifications given. Nobur Mfg. Co., 6860 Farmdale Ave., North Hollywood, Calif.

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The new Morris-Omega "00" SDDS Cold Header forms parts from wire down to .012" diameter in lengths as short as .016" -

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PLASTIC PARTS

Close tolerance parts are machined and extruded of Teflon and other plastics. A six-page house organ pictures plant facilities in operation, shows typical parts and lists tolerance ranges and stocked products. Tri-Point Plastics, Inc., 175 I. U. Willets Rd., Albertson, N.Y.

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WELD FASTENER ELECTRODE

A specially-designed electrode for welding pilotless nuts, spacers and thru-hole screws and pins is introduced in attractive Bulletin 604. Features are pointed out in text and drawings. A chart helps choose proper electrode diameter for various weld parts. User testimonials are included. The Ohio Nut & Bolt Co., 33 First Ave., Berea, Ohio.

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FUSION WELDING ALUMINUM

A technical handbook covers fusion welding of aluminum by gas, metal arc, TIG, straight polarity, MIG welding methods. Included in the 32-page guide are sections on TIG and MIG welded joint design, Reynolds Metals Co., Richmond 18, Va.
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ASSEMBLY LUBRICANT

How a grease consistency lubricant reduces galling, seizing and metal pickup in assembly and fastening applications is told in four-page Bulletin 126B. Instructions for applying the lubricant are given. Sample. The Alpha-Molykote Corp., 65 Harvard Ave., Stamford, Conn.

POWER ASSEMBLY TOOLS

Automatic drilling, tapping and fastening is the theme of an eight-page brochure on a line of power pneumatic tools. Engineering data on capacities, methods of selection, accessories and specifications is in the form of tables, text and photos. Buckeye Tools Corp., Box 966, Dayton 1, Ohio.

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POWER SCREWDRIVER

Features of the new R-A-F (rapid automatic fastening) air screw driver are presented in Form 5266. Dimensions, power ranges, screw pattern capacities for the stationary unit which cycles every 11/2 seconds are included. Ingersoll-Rand, 11 Broadway, New York 4, New York.



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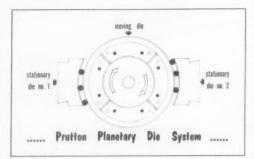
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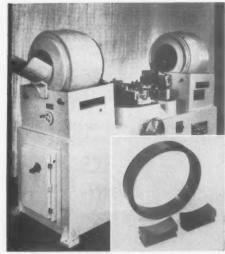
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SILICONE RUBBER PARTS

Custom engineered seals, extruded and molded parts and sheet and die cuts are described in a four-page bulletin. A chart of special purpose compounds lists temperature and durometer ranges and applications. Typical parts are pictured. Taunton Division, Haveg Industries, Inc., 336 Weir St., Taunton, Mass.

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ROLLER CHAINS, SPROCKETS

Stock sizes of roller chains and sprockets are listed in 44-page catalog 2757. "Keydexed" for quick reference, the book lists over 2000 types and sizes of pitch power transmission chains, conveyor chains, roller chains and many types of sprockets. Link-Belt Co., Prudential Plaza, Chicago 1, Ill.

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AIRCRAFT BOLTS

Aircraft bolts providing 220,000 psi tensile strength and weighing no more than regular NAS 624 series bolts are featured in Bulletin 2531, LWB 22 configuration is shown in photos and design drawings. Tension and fatigue test results are graphed. Standard Pressed Steel Co., Box 1121, Jenkintown, Pa.





CORROSION RESISTANCE

Corrosion resistant fastenings are net priced in an 88-page catalog. Bolts, nuts, screws, washers and rivets in eight metals are specified and priced in easy-to-locate format. H. M. Harper Co., 8200 Lehigh Ave., Morton Grove, Illinois.

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Assembly and Fastener Engineering

RING, PLUG GAGES

Ring and plug gages are priced and specified in a 24-page catalog. Charts include tap recommendations for classes of threads. Industry screw standards are also listed. Beloit Tool Corp., Beloit, Wis.

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38 PLIERS

Channellock pliers for assembly and maintenance are pictured, priced and specified in 16-page Catalog 556. Assortments are grouped for automotive, electrical and general use. Champion DeArment Tool Co., Meadville, Pa.
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ANCHOR BOLT AND WELL

A flexible, retractable Preng anchor bolt and well for mounting equipment is described in gatefolded mailing piece. A blueprint-type drawing is accompanied by an outline of the four-step installation procedure. Paton-Reynolds Co., 2150 N. Ritter Ave., Indianapolis 18, Indiana.
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HEADED PINS

Tool steel headed pins are sized and quantity priced for standard 2" lengths and extra long lengths. A four-page, pocket-sized flyer gives other features. Durant Tool Co., 1-15 Thurbers Ave., Providence 5, R.I.
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ADHESIVE DESIGN

Information on designing joints for bonding with structural adhesives is contained in an illustrated 16-page manual. Types of adhesives available, their properties and uses, equipment, are also discussed. Letterhead request, Adhesives, Coatings and Sealers Div., Dept. AFE, Minnesota Mining and Mfg. Co., 900 Bush Ave., St. Paul 6, Minn.



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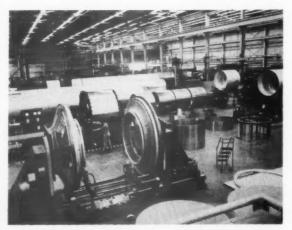
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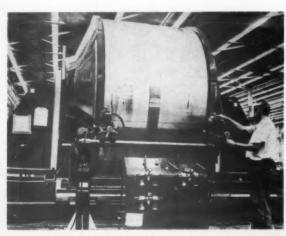
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Eight 70-inch tanks for the Saturn super-booster are shown in various stages of fabrication and assembly at Redstone Arsenal's engineering laboratory. The tanks will carry fuel and liquid oxygen.



Aluminum sheet, placed in a fixture, is joined by circumferential welding. The segment will be part of a 60-foot long tank holding missile fuel.

FASTENER SHIPMENTS RISE IN FEBRUARY

Shipments of industrial fasteners increased in February to a 164 reading on the Industrial Fastener Index. The seasonally adjusted figure was tops since last July's 165 and compared to 149 in January and 146 for the year 1959.

February in the previous four years stood at 153, 117, 177 (1957) and 169. The base of 100 is an average of the years 1947-49.

WELD, ASSEMBLE GIANT SATURN ROCKET

A massive rocket engine to power manned earthorbit flights or electronic exploration of the moon and distant space is being welded together and assembled at Redstone Arsenal in Huntsville, Alabama.

Rated at 1.5 million pounds of thrust, the project Saturn engine will generate more than four times as much thrust as present intercontinental ballistic missiles. The Army will accomplish this by clustering eight highly-reliable H-1 liquid propulsion units and linking them to fire simultaneously.

A large share of the hundreds of tons of liquid oxygen required for Saturn's giant booster will be carried in a Jupiter missile, sheathed in highly-weldable 5456 Alcoa aluminum. Eight modified Redstone missile tanks, containing liquid oxygen and fuel, will encircle the Jupiter. Each of the engines grouped below the tankage will pump its own fuel.

Saturn can place a 15-ton manned satellite in earth orbit, send a one-ton payload to the moon or electronic exploration vehicles to Venus and Mars.

DESIGN ENGINEERING SHOW TO DRAW 20,000

American manufacturers will get a glimpse of the products of the future when the Design Engineering Show, largest exposition devoted to research and development, unveils a \$10,000,000 exhibit on May 23. The show will run for four days at the Coliseum in New York City.

Twenty thousand engineers and company executives, whose responsibility it is to design the products of tomorrow, are expected to attend. Virtually every major manufacturing company in the country will be represented among the visitors. Some companies

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send teams of as many as 20 to inspect the varied products. About 15,000 products, which go into the making of end products will be shown.

Everything that goes into the ultimate product used in the home or factory will be on display. Mechanical components will be shown by 105 companies, electrical and electronic components by 94, power transmission equipment by 65, metallic materials by 61, non-metallic materials by 55, shapes and forms by 53, fasteners and adhesives by 49, finishes and coatings by 23, and 62 companies will have exhibits to show engineering equipment and services.

Concurrently with the show, and also at the Coliseum, the machine design division of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers will conduct a four-day conference. This year's papers will concern themselves with the application of spaceage design theory and techniques to new customer products. Advances made in power, control, materials, computers, components and mechanics will be considered.

The opening session, "New Horizons in Engineering Design," will feature design authorities from both the field of space technology and nuclear science.

Among the new designs developed especially for visitors to this show is a small plastic plate, similar to those used for credit cards, which eliminates the necessity for a visitor to write his name each time he requests information or a salesman's visit.

Advance rapid registration cards, conference and hotel information are available by writing Clapp & Poliak, Inc., 341 Madison Ave., New York 17, N.Y.

CP STAGES TORQUE CLINIC AT ASTE SHOW

Chicago Pneumatic Tool Co., New York, staged a colorful torque control clinic at the 1960 ASTE Show. Sixteen models of torque-limiting screwdrivers and nutrunners were displayed. A new calibrator capable of readings up to 200 in.-lbs, was introduced.



FASTENER SEMINAR held by Parker-Kalon for one of its distributors was directed by Walter Toepel, manager of the P-K sales engineering department (fourth from left in photo). Thirty-five employees of the Chas. A. Strelinger Company in Detroit attended the three-day technical sessions on sales and service of industrial fasteners.

MAJOR ELECTRIC APPLIANCES UP IN 1960

Sales of electric ranges, dishwashers and home freezers increased in February over the same 1959 period, reported the National Electrical Manufacturers Association. Slight drops were recorded in household refrigerators, water heaters and food disposal units. Over the first two-month period, sales are up in all categories except freezers and water heaters.

In the two major categories, refrigerators sold at a 569,100 pace compared with 562,400 last year and 256,700 ranges were marketed compared to 255,400 in the first two months of 1959.





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POWER TOOL FIRMS DISCUSS MERGER

Exploratory merger talks are under way between Ingersoll-Rand Co., New York City, and Black & Decker Mfg. Co., Towson, Md., reports Robert H. Johnson, Ingersoll-Rand chairman. Spokesmen report that the subject was first broached late in 1955 and the discussion resumed several months ago.

Ingersoll-Rand currently holds something under 10% of the outstanding Black & Decker common stock, Ingersoll-Rand sales last year were \$161,515,939 and Black & Decker's

were \$52,771,220.

KOPF MANAGES NELSON STUD DRIVER DIV.

Rowland Kopf, manager of Gregory Industries, Inc.'s newly established Nelson Stud Driver Division, has been actively identified with the development of powder actuated tools since the early '40's. A total of 45 patents relating to powder actuated tools and drivestuds have been issued in his name.



Kopf served with Iron Fireman Mfg. Co. from 1937 to 1945, when that com-

pany was developing the first American stud driver. He was with Ramset for 12 years. In 1958 he established his own design and marketing business in the diamond core drilling field.

ROBOTRON EXPANDS INTO DIVISIONAL SETUP

Robotron Corp., Detroit, has adopted a new product grouping policy, announces president Charles Schamanek, Expansion has led the company to split into four divisions now referred to as: Resistance Welding, Automation Devices, Regulators, and Induction Heating. Each division will function within the corporation under production, sales and shipping policies peculiar to its market areas and product applications,

HUNTER SPRING ADDS DESIGN ENGINEER



Raymond J. Neely has been appointed design engineer by the Hunter Spring Company, a Division of American Ma-chine & Metals, Inc., Lansdale, Pa. Neely will be concerned with the design and development of special inspection testing and manufacturing equipment. He was formerly with the Tinius Olsen Testing Machine Company for eight years as a design engineer.

CLEVELAND PNEUMATIC COMBINES DIVISIONS

Cleveland Pneumatic Industries, Inc., Cleveland, Ohio, has announced that its Industrial Sales Division, Skokie, Ill. has been consolidated with Renco-Aire Division, Kalamazoo, Mich., to form the Industrial Productions Division, also in Kalamazoo, Howard W. Ronfeldt is general manager, and acting sales manager; Harry A. Heath, operations manager and acting director of engineering, and Thomas Prior, manager of accounting.

HUCK NAMES EASTERN AIRCRAFT ENGR. REP.

Fred J. Coelen has been named engineering representative for the New England states for Huck Manufacturing Com-

pany, Detroit.

Coelen joined Huck in 1959 and has been engineering representative covering the lower three-fourths of the state of Texas. His transfer to the East Coast as aircraft specialist is part of a recently announced reorganization designed to align sales engineering efforts along industry market lines. He will work under the direction of F. F. DeLoach, aircraft Division manager,



Coelen brings to his new job a back-

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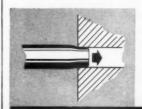
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positions. Prior to joining Huck, he had been senior standards engineer with Chance Vought Aircraft Company in Dallas.

RB& NAMES SALES MGR. FOR SPECIALS



James M. Dill has been appointed to the newly-created position of special products sales manager for Russell, Burdsall & Ward Bolt and Nut Co., Port Chester, N.Y. He will be concerned with such products as stainless steel, aluminum, brass, silicon bronze, Delrin and Nylon, as well as proprietary fasteners. Dill joined the company in

RHODES JOINS OSTROM COMPANY

E. E. (Dusty) Rhodes, for the past eight years service engineer for National Electric Welding Machines Co., Bay City, Mich., has joined the staff of the K. Wm. Ostrom Co., Inc., Drexel Hill, Pa., as a sales engineer.

Ostrom is exclusive sales representative for National Electric in New Jersey, Maryland, Delaware, Virginia, eastern Pennsylvania and Washington, D.C. Rhodes will specialize in container manufacturers' problems.

ILLINOIS TOOL PROMOTES BEART TO V-P

Robert W. Beart has been elected vice president of patents and developments. He will supervise products and equipment research development programs within the Company's divisions and subsidiaries, including Shakeproof, Fastex and Calinoy, Beart has been director of the patent department since



STANLEY-HUMASON ELECTS TWO VICE-PRES.

At the annual meeting of Stanley-Humason, Inc. subsidiary of The Stanley Works, Forestville, Conn., Frederick R. Downs, Jr., formerly sales manager, was elected vice president, sales, and Peter D. Prudden, plant manager, was elected vice president, manufacturing.

Downs has been sales manager since 1953, following his appointment as assistant sales manager in 1951. He joined Stanley-Humason as an estimator in the purchasing department in 1940. He is a director of The Spring Manufacturers Association Inc. and is presently president of the New England Group of Spring Manufacturers.

Prudden joined Stanley-Humason, Inc. in 1946 as a junior engineer and became a plant engineer in 1948. He was appointed plant superintendent in 1957 and plant manager two years later.

KRAUS JOINS ALLEN SALES FORCE

John Kraus has been named field sales representative in southern Ohio for The Allen Mfg. Co., of Hartford, Conn., announced Willis D. Horner, vice-president-sales. Kraus' territory will include Cincinnati, Dayton, Columbus and Springfield, Ohio with headquarters in Cincinnati.

Prior to joining Allen, Kraus was a salesman for the Buffalo Die Supply Corp., and earlier was associated with

the Die Supply Company division of E. W. Bliss Company

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Metronics, Inc., Englewood, N.J. has been formed to mass produce tungsten and molybdenum rod, wire and electrodes, tantalum and columbium rod and wire, and a variety of special alloys. Top management of the new company includes Michael J. Nelson, president, and Patrick K. Hynes, vice-president, both from the Wah Chang Corp.; Robert V. Gensheimer, vice president, from the Callite Tungsten Corp.; and William O. Touhey, secretary-treasurer, from the Electrometallurgical Division of Union Carbide Corp.

GOODRICH NAMES PROMOTION MANAGER

Mrs. Rubie C. Gross has been named manager of trade advertising and sales promotion for B. F. Goodrich Industrial Products Company, a division of The B. F. Goodrich Company, Akron, Ohio.

Mrs. Gross joined the company's advertising department in 1931. She became advertising manager of the aeronutical and international divisions of the company in 1941 and, in 1953, was named sales promotion manager of BFG's Industrial Products Company.

GILLEN ELECTED PARENT CO. DIRECTOR

James W. Gillen, president and general manager of the John Gillen Company, Cicero, Ill., subsidiary of Standard Railway Equipment Manufacturing Company, Chicago, has been elected a director of the parent company. Gillen has served in various posts in the business founded by his father in 1920, including those as general manager from 1939 and president from 1943.



FEDERAL NAMES NEW CHICAGO REP.

Neff, Kohlbusch & Bissell, Inc., Chicago, Ill. has been appointed sales and service representatives for The Federal Machine and Welder Company's line of mechanical presses. They cover Chicago and north central Illinois, northwest Indiana and Iowa.

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Two specially designed gantry welders on 180-foot tracks are saving time and money in the high precision welding operations at the Reynolds Metals Company Missile Plant, Sheffield. Ala.

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KNUDTSON MOVES UP TO V-P AT LEWIS BOLT



Donald W. Knudtson has been promoted to vice president of the Lewis Bolt and Nut Co., Minneapolis, Minn., announced Mark Paper, executive vice president.

Knudtson will handle all works management of the Minneapolis plant.

3M SETS UP NEW SALES ORGANIZATION

A new, nationwide sales and distributor organization to merchandise a complete line of adhesives, coatings and sealers for residential, commercial and industrial building applications has been announced by Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing Company.

"This new organization will facilitate procurement for architects, builders and contractors by making these products available from one source," said D. W. Maher, marketing manager for 3M's Adhesives, Coatings and Sealers division.

AMERICAN MOTORS BUILDS TORONTO PLANT

American Motors Corporation reports that its Canadian subsidiary will build an auto assembly plant in suburban Toronto this fall.

The 250,000 sq. ft. plant will employ 700. It will be built on a 40-acre site in the Peel Village development on the edge of Brampton.

Production of Ramblers will begin after the 1961 model introduction, and more than 10,000 units are expected to be assembled in the first year. American Motors sold about 8600 cars in Canada last year, all imported.

GRIES EXTENDS TEVES-BARRIER SALES AREA

A major expansion in the sales territory of Teves-Barrier, Inc., sales representatives in the South and Southwest, to include the state of Mississippi, has just been announced by Joseph Saks, director of sales, Gries Reproducer Corporation, New Rochelle, N.Y. Headed by Fred W. Teves and Blaine Barrier, the firm will also cover Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Louisiana. The organization maintains offices in Dallas and Houston.

NEW FASTENER CONSULTING FIRM FORMED

Milton Johnson and Paul Lathom announce the formation of their new company, Fastener Engineers, Inc., at 1810

Broadway, Rockford, Illinois. The company has a fourfold purpose: to set up complete fastener plants or departments for clients; to design and advise on special machinery and application; to manufacture special equipment and dies to client's specification; and to conduct technical classes





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Gilbert Harrell, previously North Central states sales manager, has been named to the newly-created position of field sales manager. He has been with the firm since 1954. New field engineers and their territories are: Richard C. Pranig, central Ohio, West Virginia; James Neary, Toledo-Cleveland-Youngstown; John E. O'Donnell, New England.

SALES APPOINTMENTS AT DENISON

John W. Lindsay has been appointed regional product sales manager for the new North Central region of Denison Engineering Div., American Brake Shoe Co., Columbus, Ohio. At the same time, James D. Schaffner was named field engineer for the St. Louis area, announced Denison Neale, director of sales. Both will handle the press lines.

Lindsay, who has been with the company since 1943, will direct engineering and application. Schaffner has been with Denison for 10 years and will cover the states of southern Illinois, Iowa, Missouri and Nebraska.

UNITED WELDERS ADDS DISTRIBUTOR

United Welders, Inc., Bay City, Mich. was appointed the George A. Marshall Machinery Co., Charlotte, N.C., representative for the states of Virginia, and North and South Carolina.

GREGORY JOINS POWDER TOOL INSTITUTE

The Powder Actuated Tool Manufacturers Institute has elected Leonard C. Barr, executive vice president of Gregory Industries, Inc., and Richard E. McGinnis, Gregory vice president for sales, to the Institute's Board of Directors on March 31 at a special meeting of the member companies in Cincinnati. Alvin G. Lane, executive director of PATMI, made the announcement.

Gregory Industries recently entered the powder actuated tool business with the establishment of its Nelson Stud Driver Division, in Lorain, Ohio.

LINREAD APPOINTS TWO NEW DIRECTORS

Recently appointed to the board of directors of Linread Canada Ltd., Guelph, Ontario, were Cyril C. Smith and G. A. Furlong. Smith came to the company in 1956 from the parent company in England and is now secretary and general manager of the plant in Guelph.

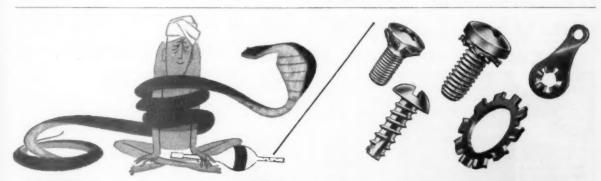




AIR ASSOCIATES REPRESENTS TOWNSEND

Air Associates of Teterboro, N.J., has just concluded an agreement with Cherry Rivet Division, Townsend Company, Santa Ana, Calif., to join that organization as aircraft jobber for Cherry Rivet products throughout all 50 states. The announcement was made by John H. Roy, manager of aircraft sales, Cherry Rivet Division, and Charles A. Sereno, president of Air Associates.

Six regional offices of Air Associates will handle Cherry Rivets, products, tools and accessories in Teterboro, N.J.; Atlanta, Ga.; Chicago, Ill.; Wichita, Kan.; Dallas, Texas; and Glendale, Calif. The Air Associates regional organization maintains 56 offices in principal U.S. cities.



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BROWN NEW MANAGER OF M&T WELDING DIV.

Robert T. Brown has been appointed manager of the Welding Division, Metal & Thermit Corporation. He replaces A. J. Fisher, Jr., who was recently named executive vice president.

Prior to his new position, Brown was sales manager of the Welding Division. His new responsibilities also include research and production of the Murex line of welding machines, electrodes, and accessories.



EBERHARDT JOINS STANSCREW SALES STAFF



John A. Eberhardt has joined the sales force of Standard Screw Co., Bell-wood, Ill. He will cover the western New York and western Pennsylvania territory, replacing J. A. Businger who resigned. Eberhardt was formerly in the marketing research department of Hearst Advertising Service and has been an insurance salesman, He attended Kent State University and Baldwin-Wallace College.

HUCK NAMES WESTERN DIVISION MANAGER

Appointment of William B. Huegin as commercial division manager for the eight western states was made concurrently with announcement of a general sales reorganization based on alignment with basic product markets.

Huegin will direct Huck's sales engineering program in western commercial applications other than those in the aircraft industry. He will have offices in Huck's Western Branch building in suburban Los Angeles.

Huegin studied engineering at Ohio State University and

holds a degree in business administration from Northwestern University, He joined Huck in 1951 as an engineering representative.

CLEVELAND CAP PROMOTES L. G. JOHNSON

L. G. Johnson has been named northern California district sales manager by The Cleveland Cap Screw Company, Cleveland, Ohio. He will supervise sales operations throughout northern California from Fresno to the Oregon border.

Johnson was formerly a salesman in the Los Angeles area for the firm. He will work out of the company's South San Francisco warehouse.



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GROENING ADVANCES AT UNITED WELDERS

Robert E. Groening has been appointed general sales manager of United Welders, Inc., Bay City, Mich. After five years with the company, Groening will now be responsible for sales efforts as the company increases its emphasis on special-purpose automated welding and processing machines.

BUSBY NEW EUTECTIC FIELD SUPERVISOR

John T. Busby has been named field supervisor by Eutectic Welding Alloys Corporation, Flushing, N. Y., according to an announcement by Rene D. Wasserman, President. He was previously a technical representative with the company. Prior to joining Eutectic, Busby was a Navy welding instructor. In his new position, he will be responsible for the training of technical representatives.



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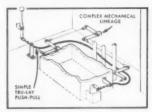
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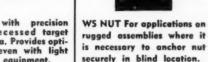
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ONE LAST WORD

The Fault Lies In Us, Not In Time



"There is not enough time," runs the chant, "for me to do all the things I want to do." And there is not one of us who has not despairingly beat his breast over his inability to coax another deed out of the day. How many more mountains would we climb, how many more bridges would we build had we more time, we say.

And thus, with noble resolution we determine to attack time, and make it our slave; we will bring it to its knees, we say.

Time has no beginning, no end, no dimension, no substance. It is, was, and will be knowing no birth, no death. "Time is the image of eternity," said Diogenes Laertius. Time cannot be harnessed. Our feeble efforts to husband it, or to force it at lance point into our service is vain. We cannot manage time, we can only manage our acts; our doing is at fault for our not doing more.

As we do not manage the miles of the distance we travel, so do we not manage the time in which we act. How we act, and what we do determines our accomplishments, and only that will be recorded in the book. Of time no man has more than another. Neither king nor pauper, scientist nor laborer has more of it; each is placed in it at birth and the good book will only record what we did in it.

How many things of slight value are we engaged in only because any other important thing is too much trouble or too arduous? Do we not do too much of empty consequence, only to be able to say, "I was so busy doing that, I could not do the other?" Time thus is made the scapegoat for our indolence.

Are we quite often not humming dynamos of activity? Do not walls, floors and ceilings tremble with our heroic exertions? And more often than not is this not mighty foolishness? Too frequently we labor mightily only to bring forth a mouse. To do more is not as much at issue as to do more of that which is important. Do we not play too much, sleep too much, lunch too heavily, watch television ad nauseum, talk too much nonsense to too many people? Is not most of our doing concerned with trivialities, inconsequentials lengthened and embroidered, and made more of than is necessary? Do we not procrastinate on the vital, important matters?

We blame our lack of good reading, our laziness to think, our indolence to plan, our selfishness to serve, and our rejections of pleasures of the intellect and the arts on time. There is no time. It is not in time our fault lies but in our doing, in our acts.

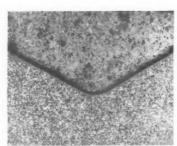
Time is neither ally nor enemy. She cannot bestow the laurel nor withhold it. Our doing, now, is the victory or defeat which will be read in the book tomorrow. We guide the writing hand, not time; the book will never say, "He had no time." The page will merely be blank.

Wm. F. Schleicher

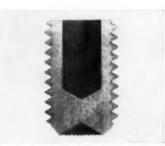
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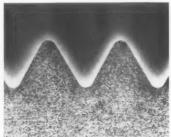
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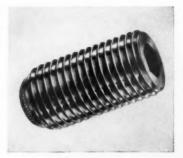
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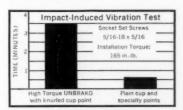
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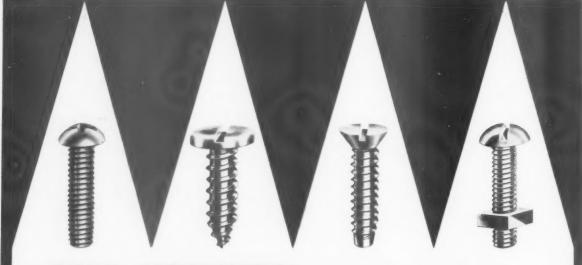
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